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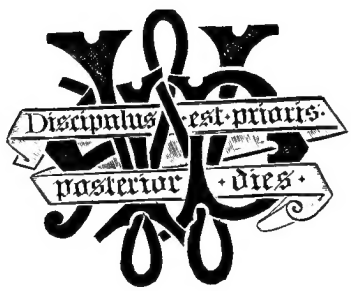

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PREFACE.

THE documents calendared in this volume differ greatly from those with which I have dealt in those that came before it. They consist firstly of the receipts given to persons who subscribed money for the support of the Parliamentary cause in Ireland in the years 1642, 1643 and 1647, in return for a promise of land in Ireland; and secondly of the documents by which the heirs, executors, administrators or assigns of these subscribers proved their right to claim lands in Ireland in respect of such subscriptions in the years 1653 and 1654. The volume contains no State papers properly so called, no grants, orders for letters patents, or warrants. It provides us with no consecutive account of the subscriptions in aid of the Parliamentary cause or of the means adopted to satisfy the subscribers. The papers before us are in effect a list of the names and addresses of subscribers, of the places in which the land was awarded to them or their successors, and of the deeds or transfers by which those who actually received land derived their title from the original subscribers. Under these circumstances it is difficult for an editor to write a preface without exceeding the limit of his instructions, which direct him only to explain the documents in his calendar. I have, however, considered that I shall not be going too far if I give a short account of the various Acts and Ordinances under which these subscriptions were made and of the circumstances under which the distribution of land took place in 1653. Documents relating to the general history of Ireland in this period have been calendared in a separate volume, the text of which was complete

before I commenced the present one. Owing, however, to the discovery of fresh material which had to be incorporated in the parallel volume, and owing to the length of time occupied in making an index, it has been possible to get this volume ready for Press before its companion could be published. The preface to the forthcoming volume will contain a short account of the period in Ireland so far as it is elucidated by the documents contained therein. At present I confine myself to facts which help to make the documents in the present volume intelligible.

As soon as the news of the Irish insurrection of 1641 reached Westminster a conference of both Houses was held and a standing Committee of both was appointed on November 2[1] to consider the state of Irish affairs. This Committee worked with certain "Commissioners for the Affairs of Ireland," who were appointed by the House with the approval of the Joint Committee in February, 1642, and instructions were given to them in April.[2] The Committee appointed to sit at Guildhall on November 2, immediately after the news of the outbreak of the insurrection in Ireland, is the first body of this kind of which we find mention. Its primary object was to arrange about the loan of £50,000 from the City of London. On November 9, a Military Committee or Council of War, consisting of Lord Wilmot, Sir John Conyers and eight others, was appointed to prepare and consider projects for the defence of English rights in Ireland. This military committee was apparently subordinate to the Political Committee,[3] and made recommendations to the House through it. Another Committee which was formed soon after the outbreak of the rebellion was appointed on December 16, for the purpose of relieving

(1) House of Commons Journals for this date.

(2) *Ibid.* April 2, 1642.

(3) *Ibid.* Nov. 12, 1641.

distressed persons from Ireland. It began by collecting money from the House of Commons only, but was afterwards authorised to receive sums from any persons within the Metropolis. The sums so collected were distributed only among "such poor Irishmen" as were in London[1]: but there is no evidence as to whether the word "Irishmen" was here used in the usual sense. One can hardly think that many of the real Irish were at London at the time, or that, if they had been, they would have been considered as fit objects of public charity. On January 5, 164½, immediately after the attempted seizure of the "five members," the House decided to adjourn for a few days and, in doing so, appointed yet another Committee to sit at Guildhall, with general powers for the public safety, but especially for the considering the affairs of Ireland. This Committee did not, however, supersede the Committee of both Houses appointed of November 2. The two sat side by side. On January 17 it was ordered that this Committee of Safety should sit at Grocers' Hall.

The first Act of Parliament passed in reference to the Irish rebellion was the Act "for a speedy contribution and loan" towards the relief of the King's subjects in Ireland.[2] This was a tentative measure empowering churchwardens and overseers to collect benevolences in the various parishes of England and Wales, and to hand them over to Treasurers who were to distribute the sums so received in such manner as Parliament should direct. The Act, however, was only to remain in force till 1 June, 1642, and the receipts calendared in this volume are not for moneys paid in under it. On Feb. 11, 1642, "divers worthy and well-affected persons" petitioned the House

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(1) House of Commons Journals 1 June, 1642.

(2) 16 Car. 1, c. 30. Dated in the Statute Book 1640, but clearly passed after the outbreak of October, 1641. See also Scobell's Collection of Acts and Ordinances, part 1, pp. 23-26.

of Commons offering to supplement the Royal forces in Ireland and to transplant themselves thither, provided they might receive estates from the forfeited lands of Irish rebels and might have the right to impress and to get arms, &c., out of the public store. This offer was accepted on 16 Feb. in a modified form: and the bill drafted in accordance with its terms received the Royal assent on March 19th.[1] Under this Act two and a half million acres of Irish land belonging to those in arms against the King were hypothecated for payment of such persons as should promise to subscribe sums for the suppression of the Irish rebellion before 1 May, 1642, and should pay them in by instalments to certain receivers within three months of the date of their promises.

The receivers appointed were Aldermen Warner, Towse and Andrewes of London and Laurence Halstead, Esq. The subscribers were to have their lands distributed to them by lot when Parliament should have announced that the rebellion in Ireland was subdued, and Parliament declared itself the supreme disposer of rebels' lands, so that no pardon or patent could be valid without its assent. As has been noted by historians of the period, this declaration was no doubt prompted by fears of King Charles' complicity in the insurrection or complaisance towards its promoters.

It is under this Act, as explained and enlarged by the shorter Acts which immediately follow it, that the majority of the subscriptions calendared in this volume were paid. The signatures of two or more of the Treasurers are on the receipts, which are stated to be for money "paid into the Chamber of London according to certain propositions made for the speedy reducing of the rebels of Ireland, and confirmed by the assent of His

[1] Statutes of the Realm, 16 Car. 1, cap. 33, and Scobell, part 1, pp. 26-31. It is not thought needful to give the details of these Statutes.

Majesty and of the Lords and Commons in Parliament." The difference between this Act and the Ordinance of July 14, 1643, is that the latter never received the Royal assent, the final breach between the Crown and Parliament having come before the date when it passed. For brevity the receipts under the Act of 1642 and the various Acts which explained it are called in the text receipts "by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament."

The Act "for speedy and effectual reducing" was followed by three further Acts. The first [1] for "adding unto and explaining certain clauses" in the Act for speedy and effectual reduction; the second [2] "to enable corporations and bodies politic to participate" in the benefit of the Act for speedy and effectual reduction; and the third "for the further advancement of the effectual and speedy reduction of the rebels in Ireland.[3] The first of these gave further time to the subscribers under the first Act. For residents in London or within 60 miles thereof, a period of nine months from April 20, 1642, was given. If they completed their subscriptions within that period, they could enjoy the benefits of the Act. Persons residing outside that limit were in the same way given nine months from 10 May, 1642, and similar terms were offered to Dutch Protestants who wished to subscribe. A rebate of 8 per cent. was offered to those who should pay in their subscriptions before the prescribed dates. Many of the receipts hereinafter calendared are endorsed with the statement that the rebate was allowed: and from the dates upon them it will be seen that this provision in the Act was observed. The Act for corporations and bodies politic offered to them similar terms provided they subscribed

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(1) Statutes of the Realm, 16 Car. 1, c. 34, and Scobell, part 1, p. 31.

(2) *Ibid.* 16 Car. 1, c. 35, and Scobell, *ibid.* p. 34.

(3) *Ibid.* 16 Car. 1, cap. 37, and *ibid.* p. 32. The titles in Scobell are not identical with those in the Statute Book.

before 20 May, 1642, and paid in their whole subscription within nine months of that date. The last Act of the series made the 20th day of July the starting point for all who subscribed £10 or over, thus giving further latitude to persons willing to subscribe substantial sums. It also enacted that those who paid in the whole sum of their subscriptions before that day should be allotted acres measured in Irish measure—wherein 21 feet were reckoned as a perch. Those who paid in later were to have their lands in English measure—i.e., with the perch at 16½ feet.[1]

Meantime, on March 10, 1642, subscriptions to the amount of £100,000 were invited from the Dutch, provided they raised that sum within three weeks. In this calendar, however, we can show no receipt from Dutchmen, and we have no information to tell us how far the offer proved acceptable.

In February Commissioners had been appointed in England to preside over the proper spending of the money raised and sent to Ireland and generally to carry out the Government's policy of supporting the Protestant and Parliamentary cause in Ireland. On April 2, 1642, the King approved the appointment of these Commissioners. Instructions for them had already been drafted, and in this year we find them frequently consulted by the House of Commons, in fact almost all Irish questions are referred to them. In April it became obvious that if Ireland was to be speedily reduced her coasts must be blockaded, and the Commons consequently accepted the tender of "some persons" who proposed to subscribe for the fitting-out of six ships to relieve the coast forts and to cut off supplies for the insurgents on their way (presumably) from Spain and Flanders. The tender having been accepted by the Commons on 16 April[2] was approved

[1] For an instance wherein Irish measure is claimed see p. 28, first entry.

[2] For details see House of Commons Journals for this date.

by the Lords on April 29th. The conditions asked by these adventurers were very wide and would in effect have armed them with the most liberal letters of marque. The Lords attached some conditions to their approval and these were accepted by the Commons, but we are not told in the Journals what they were. On May 28, the Lords agreed with the Commons to pass an ordinance for raising men for Ireland,[1] and this ordinance subsequently became "law." It was devised in execution of the Act of March 19, to which the King had assented, yet it never received Royal assent, but was put in force after the Lords had accepted it. Several weeks were lost in naming officers, &c., and on 9 June we find an urgent order from the Commons to the "adventurers of the additional forces by sea" to send out three cruisers to arrest the supplies coming to the Irish.

A few receipts for sums paid in under this arrangement are found in these volumes, but as the subscribers were placed on the same footing as those also paid in "under the arrangement between the King and Parliament," it has not been thought necessary to distinguish them in the calendar.

The receipts in this volume will show that money was very quickly raised under these Acts. The rapidity with which it flowed in from the West of England is remarkable, but it seems that the bulk of the refugees from Ireland came there late in 1641 or early in 1642.[2] It is probable that in this way the men of Devon were brought to realize both the danger to the Protestant religion, which was attacked by this insurrection, and the possibility of profitable returns to money invested in Irish land.

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(1) House of Lords Journals and House of Commons Journals for this date.

(2) See House of Commons Journals for 22 Mar., 164½.

The date at which the "Committee for Adventurers" came into existence is not certain, but it was undoubtedly formed by August, 1642, and after that date is often consulted on such Irish affairs as directly affect the adventurers' body. On August 16 the Commons asked the Lords that, as many members of the Commission for Irish Affairs were out of town, the members of either House might for greater convenience meet as Committees of the two Houses, and report to either House on Irish affairs. The Lords agreed to this suggestion on the 18th.[1] On September 10 Sir Henry Mildmay and Mr. Reynolds were appointed Committee-men to go to Ireland and carry out such instructions as should be given them, and the Committee for Adventurers of London were asked to appoint two Committee-men to go with them. Instructions for them were drafted in the Commons on September 13 and were passed, after approval by the Lords on the 20th? September. These instructions did not, however, affect the adventure very much, except in so far as the Committee-men had power to "lessen the charge of the army by way of adventure or otherwise." It is apparently on this mission that Mr. Goodwin, Mr. Reynolds, and Captain Tucker, of whose transactions in Dublin we have an instructive account,[2] were engaged. Captain Tucker's record makes it clear that the Lord Deputy and Council at the time thought but little of the satisfaction of the adventurers for lands in Ireland.

The ordinance of January 30, 164⅔,[3] should next be mentioned, as receipts given by the Treasurers under it are preserved in the volumes here calendared. This ordinance did not look only to offers of money in support of the Parliamentary and Protestant cause, but also to

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(1) House of Lords Journals for that date.

(2) See Gilbert; Irish Confederation II. 185, &c.

(3) Scobell, part 1, p. 35, and House of Commons Journals for this date for details; for receipts under it see p. 129, *et seq.*

supplies of "victual, arms, ammunition goods, wares or commodities." Such goods, if offered, were to be valued by persons appointed by the Committee for Irish Affairs (of September 30, 1642),[1] and the public faith of the Parliament was given that they should be repaid in rebels' land or in money with 8 per cent. interest. This loan in money or kind was to be collected by churchwardens and overseers of the poor in the various parishes after the proclamation had been duly published, and the overseers, when they handed the sums or goods collected and names of collectors to agents appointed by the Central Committee, were to keep a list of the sums or goods advanced and of the names of subscribers. This list was to have been kept in duplicate by six Treasurers named in the ordinance, and the Lords and Commons pledged the public faith that all persons who advanced money or goods under it should be repaid either by Irish rebels' lands or in money with interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum.

In March, 1643,[2] we find a note of the second reading of a bill for making good the sums which the Adventurers had promised but had not paid in, but of this Act in its ultimate form no trace is found. Nor does the ordinance of July 14 in that year receive specific mention in the Journals? of the House of Commons of that day. An ordinance for raising £200,000, which may have taken the place of the bill mentioned on March 17, was suggested on June 9th and was read and committed on August 26th.

On May 29, after the arrival of the news of the capture of the English settlement and fort at Ballynakill and when the fortunes of England in Ireland were at a very low ebb, a fresh Committee[3] was appointed by the House of Commons. This body had power to sit when and where it liked and had power to consult with the

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(1) This Committee, though mentioned in the Act is not mentioned in the Journals of either House for this date.

(2) H.C.J. 17 and 24 Mar., 1643.

(3) For names see H.C.J. of this date.

Committee for Adventurers in London and to report on the affairs of Ireland and the English army there to the House of Commons. On June 19, a suggestion was put to the Commons on which the ordinance of July, 1643, was largely founded. It proposed the setting-out of the escheated parts of Limerick with Enishcattery and the fishings on the Shannon, the City of Waterford and the towns of Galway and Wexford with surrounding lands as special security for the adventurers. At the same time the Commons ordered that the new Committee (of May 29) and the old Committee were to have equal powers of consultation and recommended that an ordinance should be brought in "for doubling the grants of land to those who should pay in 25 per cent. of their previous investments."

The suggestions of June 19, which clearly emanate from the Adventurers, and these further recommendations of the House of Commons were embodied in the ordinance of July 14, 1643. The preamble to this ordinance set forth the serious condition of Ireland, the declaration of June 15th, the willingness both of persons who had already adventured and of others to advance money for the support of the Parliamentary cause in Ireland, and the fact that more than two-thirds of the forfeited lands would remain after payment had been made to all the existing adventurers. Whoever among these adventurers should pay in a sum equal to one-fourth [1] of his earlier adventure, should have lands allotted to him at a rate twice as favourable as that which had been prescribed by the Act of 1642. The same terms were held out to new subscribers who had not adventured in 1642 and to corporate towns, companies, &c. Acts of Parliament were next promised to confirm this ordinance. For the special benefit of the merchant class, the cities of Limerick, Waterford, Galway and Wexford with lands adjacent were put up for sale, with their fishing profits, for £30,000, £30,000,

[1] For details see Scobell, part 1, pp. 45-49.

£25,000 and £7,500 respectively, with rents reserved on each. Lands and houses within these areas which were given up to the maintenance of Roman Catholic priests or pious Roman Catholic uses or for "lazars and lazarous people" were thrown in with the rest of the land; and those who should advance sums under these clauses were promised that, if they also adventured for land in the kingdom at large, the land given them in respect of such investments should be as near the town of their town holding as might be. Further clauses allowed officers to adventure with their pay or arrears, and made provision for subscriptions by the Dutch Protestants.

A great many of the receipts in this volume are for sums paid in under this ordinance of July, 1643. It seems to have been popular, and one notices that some of the largest sums advanced were under it.

It is no part of an Editor's duty to give a continuous narrative of the history of the adventurers between 1643 and 1647, the next important year which appears in this volume. On October 24, 1643, an order passed the House of Commons directing that those who had advanced sums for the additional forces by sea should pay in the remainder of their adventures at once, from which it may be gathered that money was not coming in promptly. In August, 1644, a new ordinance for levying £80,000 for the service of Ireland was directed by the House of Commons to be prepared, and on October 16 the Commons and Lords agreed to it, but no receipts under it are to be found in this volume, and it is not in the Statutes of the Realm, nor in the Journals, whilst Scobell merely mentions it in his collection. Throughout 1644, 1645, and 1646, the struggle between the Parliament and the Royalist and Confederate forces continued, but the history of this period so far as it is elucidated by the documents preserved in the Public Record Office has already been dealt with in a previous volume.[1] The Entry Books of

[1] *Calendar of S.P. Ireland*, 1633-47, published in 1901.

the Committee of Both Houses for Irish Affairs appointed on July 1, 1645, which are preserved, make it possible to follow very closely the steps taken by the Parliament in those years for the preservation of their interest and of the Protestant religion.

The ordinance of November 13, 1647, under which receipts appear in this volume,[1] was complementary to the ordinance of July 14, 1643. That ordinance[2] had not decreed any limit of time within which the subscriptions under it must be paid in, and the ordinance of 1647 made good the omission. The Adventurers who had already subscribed were to pay a fourth of their whole sums within 20 days of the passing of the ordinance, if they resided in or near London, and within forty days if they resided in the country. If the subscriptions then paid did not amount to £30,000 (which they would do if all promises were made good) a further period of seven days would be allowed, within which the public might come in and make good the deficiency, stepping *pro rata* into the shoes of the defaulting subscribers. A further period of seven days was, however, allowed to original subscribers who had been hindered from completing their offer by the war and its troubles. After that period had elapsed investment was to cease. Aldermen Andrewes, Foot, Kendrick and Avery were the Treasurers under this Act and the receipts which we have in this volume are signed by one or more of them.

Passing over the years 1647-1652, the final years of conflict between the Royalist and Confederate forces on the one hand and the troops of the English Parliament on the other, I come to the year 1652. In the spring of that year the organised resistance of the Confederate Catholics gradually ceased. The House of Commons on April, 1652,[3] knew that the last fortresses and commandoes of the Irish

(1) See *e.g.*, p. 10.

(2) H.L.J. for this date, and Scobell, part 1, p. 135.

(3) H.C.J. for that date.

were surrendering. It accepted the suggestions of the Adventurers' Committee and directed the Council of State to make provision for transplanting the Irish from one part of the country to the other, or to foreign parts. The first Act for repayment of the adventurers with forfeited lands was passed by the House of Commons on August 12, 1652. It is entitled an "Act for Settling of Ireland," and in its preamble states that "it is not the intention of Parliament to extirpate that whole nation, but that mercy and pardon, both as to life and estate, may be extended to all husbandmen, ploughmen, labourers, artificers, and others, of the inferior sort," if they submit to Parliament and live peaceably under their Government. It further states as necessary "that others also of higher rank and quality may know the Parliament's intention concerning them according to the respective demerits and considerations under which they fall." The following classes of persons should have no pardon for life or estate:—

1. All active counsellors or promoters of the rebellion before the outbreak of October, 1641, and all who fought for, or assisted the Confederate cause before November 10, 1642.

2. All priests, Jesuits and others having orders from the Pope or see of Rome, who had in the past assisted, or should in the future assist, the war.

3. A long list of Royalist and Confederate leaders, including the Earls of Ormonde, Clanricarde, Castlehaven, Fingall, Roscommon and Westmeath, and Lords Inchiquin, Muskerry, Mountgarret, Montgomery, Iveagh, Slane, &c., &c.

4. Those who had killed loyal non-belligerent English in the war in Ireland, and those Irish who had waged war without being themselves in the pay or service of the Confederate Government.

5. All those who did not surrender within twenty-eight days after the publication of this Act.

The general officers in the civil and military service of the Confederate Government were to be banished. Two-thirds of their estates were to be forfeited and the rest—or its equivalent "to be assigned in such places in Ireland as the Parliament in order to the more effectual settlement of the peace of this nation, shall think fit to appoint for that purpose"—to be awarded to their wives and children.

The Commissioners of Parliament and Commander-in-chief were empowered to pardon those who should lay down arms within twenty-eight days of the publication of the Act, and these men were to be treated, as to their property, as the last class, but they were not to be banished and were to have their one-third themselves. The Commissioners in Ireland or Commander-in-chief there might restrict the twenty-eight days to a shorter period in cases of persons in arms against the Parliament and holding any castle or fort. Such persons, on receiving notice, must surrender within the time given them in order to receive pardon. All Roman Catholic laymen who had resided in Ireland between October 1, 1641, and March 1, 1650, and who had not manifested their constant good affection to the Parliament, yet were not within the above categories, were to forfeit one-third of their estates and be "moveable" as to the other two-thirds. All others who had resided in Ireland during that period and had not on opportunity shewn constant good affection to the Parliamentary cause were to forfeit one-fifth of their estates. Every person who had no land, and not more than £10 in goods, in Ireland could get a free pardon for all things done in the war by surrendering within 28 days. The forfeitures were to extend to reversionary or mortgage interests created since 1639 if these were in the hands of, or coming to, rebels, but not if they were

coming to loyal Protestants, and had been created for valuable consideration before October 23, 1641. Persons who had got "articles" from commanders of the Parliamentary army, even though they fell within these categories, were to be allowed to benefit by them "in case the Commissioners of Parliament in Ireland shall adjudge them to be comprised therein"; and if they kept the articles on their side: but they were still liable to transplantation.

This was as it were an Act for clearing the ground previous to the fulfilment of the promises made by the Act of 1642 and the ordinances of 1643 and 1647. It was immediately followed by a Statute dictating the manner in which the accounts of officers and soldiers should be stated.[1] Commissioners were appointed to take evidence from claimants or their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns. Claimants were to produce muster rolls or commissions: but in the absence of these the commissioners might take verbal evidence of the claimant and two other witnesses, and might thereupon make a certificate stating what was due to him. For such sums they gave him a charge on the rebels' lands in Ireland. Other important matters were provided for, but as the Act deals exclusively with the military obligations of the Parliament a full examination of it is out of place here. A further Act, passed on August 8, 1653, extended the operation of this Act to arrears of pay for service up to October 23, 1653.

The Journals of the House of Commons give us little idea of the debates on this Act, and except that the House confirmed the articles made with Col. Fitzpatrick at Streamstown, we find few instructive entries in them. On June 1, 1653, a committee of London

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[1] Scobell, part 1, p. 200, *et seq.*

merchants was appointed to judge of adventurers' claims.[1] On August 24, instructions were issued to the new Commissioners for Irish Affairs (Cromwell, Fleetwood, Ludlow, Corbet, Jones and Weaver), from which the policy of Parliament and the Council plainly appears.[2] The strict execution of the Act of 1652 and extermination of the Roman Catholic religion are the keynotes of these instructions, and throughout the months between August, 1652, and September, 1653, the Commissioners, more especially Fleetwood, were hard at work in executing them. The amount of claims to be dealt with, and the question of deciding into what category the various Irishmen fell, presented so many difficulties that it was not possible to make a final allotment. There were also questions to be settled as to what parts of Ireland should be used to appease the adventurers, and what part left for soldiers or for the Irish themselves. A discussion of these points is, however, beyond the scope of this preface.

On September 20, 1653, the Act "for Satisfaction of Adventurers for Lands in Ireland and of arrears due to the soldiery there and other public debts" passed the House of Commons. This Act formally declared the rebellion "appeased and ended." It confirmed the above-mentioned order of Council of June 1, which had directed Methuselah Turner of Cheapside, linen draper, Robert Hammon or Hamon of Broad Street, London, Henry Brandiff of Walbrook, London, merchant, Nathaniel Manton of Ironmonger Lane, London, merchant, Elias Roberts of Broad Street, London, merchant, Col. Geo. Gill, Lieut.-Col. Fenton, and Francis Blomer, to sit as a Committee at Grocers' Hall, to receive claims and regulate the drawing of lots. It further confirmed the Order in Council of

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(1) Apparently it superseded a pre-existing committee of the same. *See* Calendar of S.P. Dom. for June 1, 1653.

(2) H.C.J. August 24, 1652. They were appointed June 22, 1653.

June 22, 1653, and directed Generals Fleetwood and Ludlow, Miles Corbet and John Jones to execute the instructions annexed to that order, which was confirmed.

By this Act half of the forfeited lands in the cos. Limerick, Tipperary (including "Crosse Tipperary") and Waterford, King's and Queen's Counties, Meath and Westmeath, Down, Antrim and Armagh, were charged with the £336,000 which had been raised from the adventurers by the promise of lands in Ireland. The other half was to go to the officers and soldiers to whom money was owing for service before June 5, 1649, in England, and since that date in Ireland. Both adventurers and soldiers were to receive land at the rate of one thousand acres in Leinster for every £600 owed them, in Munster for every £450 and in Ulster for every £200. After receiving a survey from their agents in Ireland, the Committee at Grocers' Hall[1] were to divide each county as justly as they could by baronies, allotting one half to the adventurers and the other to the officers and soldiers. The half counties given to the adventurers were then to be divided among them by lot, and if any barony was not large enough to meet all the claims placed on it, the adventurers who could not be satisfied were to receive satisfaction in a neighbouring barony or county. The Commissioners were invested with the same powers for distributing the other halves of counties amongst officers and soldiers, but disputes between these were to be submitted to the decision of the Commander-in-chief in Ireland. In case of deficiency the county of Louth (except the barony of Ardee) was reserved for the adventurers and soldiers, and Parliament reserved the right to allot further lands in case those now allotted should not suffice to satisfy all claims. The barony of Ardee and certain lands in Cork, Fermanagh and Sligo were, further,

[1] Some of their adjudications appear in this volume. See *e.g.*, p. 374 of my text.

reserved for the troops disbanded in Ireland since the war had ceased and the baronies of Imokilly, co. Cork, and of Castleknock, co. Dublin, were set apart for widows of soldiers killed or men maimed in the war. The Commissioners were empowered to settle difficulties between soldiers and adventurers concerning the allotment or occupation of lands. The taxes on these lands was to be not more than one-fourth of their annual value for five years from June, 1654, and quit rents due upon them were remitted for the same period provided those who claimed such remission resided and worked their lands for three years at least. Adventurers or soldiers might purchase houses in walled towns at six years' purchase up to half the houses in Limerick, Waterford and Clonmel. These towns were given the "privileges of Bristol" and the vacant spaces within them which had formerly belonged to rebels were put up for purchase by Protestants. It was enacted that the adventurers and soldiers should not be liable to military service for ten years after securing their allotments except in defence of the lands which they had received. A further clause directed that if any adventurer obtained more land than he was entitled to, he must either purchase or surrender the overplus, and power was taken for the Commissioners to enforce this provision. Such overplus, if recovered by the State, was to be devoted (up to the value of £1,000 a year) to "the erecting and maintaining free schools and for setting-up and maintaining manufactures in convenient places" within each county.

The powers given by the second Act of this code (the Act of March 19, 1642) to the Adventurers to establish ministers in the settlement and to set up corporations were transferred to the Commissioners; and they were directed to take steps to erect meeting places for public worship, construct highways of convenient

breadth, build and repair bridges. A Parliamentary title was given to all the adventurers and soldiers, and a further limit of three months given to those who had not completed their subscriptions. Within that time they must pay in the completing sums to Alderman Andrewes.[1]

This part of the Act dealt only with the lands mentioned above (page xxi) in the ten counties. The following sections go on to deal with the parts of Ireland which had been brought under the control of Parliament by previous Acts. These, with certain exceptions, were to be devoted to paying the arrears of soldiers still in the army of Ireland who were owed sums for service since June 5, 1649,[2] or in England before that date. These arrears being satisfied, the claims of officers and soldiers for service in Ireland before June 5, 1649, were placed next. Their services were to be stated before the Commissioners of Accounts in Ireland. Next came other classes of State creditors:—those who had advanced sums on the public faith or who had given money, arms or provisions at the request of the Lords Justices between November, 1641, and September, 1643; those who had advanced the same to Monke, Coote, Michael Jones, or the Parliamentary force in Munster before Lord Inchiquin's defection, and other classes.[3] The accounts of these classes were to be taken by the Commissioners for Accounts in Ireland, and after having been approved by them, were sent to the Commissioners of Parliament. If these latter Commissioners passed the accounts they were then bound to set out lands to satisfy them at the rate of four years' purchase for unplanted land and six years' purchase for planted or tenanted land.

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(1) See p. 284 of text *note*.

(2) Apparently the date was taken as the starting point of Oliver's Irish campaign. He was selected to command in Ireland on March 15, and landed in Dublin on August 15 in that year.

(3) See Scobell, part 2, p. 247 for details.

Mines were reserved to the State. The lands might be let at once to Protestants. The adventurers were not compelled to go over and occupy them. They were, however, empowered to export stock, farm implements, &c., free of impost for a limited period and from thirteen specified western ports between Padstow in Cornwall and Whitehaven in Cumberland. Sub-letting to persons within the qualifications of the Act of August 12, 1652, was prohibited. The counties of Dublin, Cork, Kildare and Carlow and the forts and castles of the country, except and so far as these latter were allotted by particular provisions of this or any other Act in the code, were reserved for the State's use. Those particular grants, together with the concessions given, at Ireton's request, to Waterford and the "Little Island" in Waterford river, were confirmed. The officers engaged in executing the Act were also to be allowed lands under this Act. Connaught and Clare, except the lands in the county Sligo mentioned already (p. xxi), were reserved for the Irish people included in the Act of Qualifications: and power was given to the Commissioners to give them estates as soon as possible. Certain special claimants on the generosity of Parliament, Anthony Edmonds and Thomas Whitcomb, whose houses had been burnt for strategic purposes at the defence of Gloucester, the town of Liverpool, Richard Nethoway a Bristol brewer, Col. Hewson, who wanted lands near Dublin, Judge Cook, one of the Justices of Munster—these were mentioned in the final clause of the Act. It passed on September 26, 1653, and it was again to be confirmed in 1656.

After the passing of the Act the Council of State at once issued instructions to Lieut.-Generals Charles Fleetwood and Edmund Ludlow, and to John Jones and Miles Corbet with regard to its execution,[1] for which they

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[1] Scobell, p. 251, *et seq.*, where full details will be found.

were appointed Commissioners,[1] and were to carry out the annexed instructions for the survey of the lands forfeited. They were to appoint surveyors and a registrar. They were to ascertain at once the names and rights of all persons claiming any interest in any of the forfeited lands, and to direct a survey of them, in the ten counties and in Louth. Full instructions were given as to appointment of competent surveyors and as to the methods by which they were to proceed. They were to take evidence as to the rent which the owners of the forfeited lands had received in 1641 or before, as to religious charges on them, and as to the extent and value of the Crown lands and the lands of the Church. Courts of survey were to be held by the Under-surveyors, and the Surveyors-general might amend returns by consent of the Commissioners in Ireland, without recalling the Under-surveyors, in small matters. The Surveyors-general were to be paid £400 a year—half of which was payable in land. As soon as the completed surveys reached the Registrar in Dublin he was to make from them an abstract of the profitable land of avail in each county and send the abstract over to the Committee presided over by Methusaleh Turner at Grocers' Hall in London. The Commissioners were also empowered to hear the claims of those who were not within the qualifications of the Act of August 12, 1652, and who were affected by the plantation "to the end that no person who is not comprehended within the said qualifications or any of them may receive prejudice to his lands or estate" and "that every person to whom it doth belong may enjoy the mercy and favour intended unto him of the said Act." Lands already granted (since November, 1641), by Parliament were excepted out of these instructions, as was the manor of Blarney, co. Cork. The Commissioners

[1] They are the body known after this date as the "Commissioners in Ireland."

were further directed to put in the soldiers now to be disbanded summarily into lands estimated by a rough and ready survey in payment of their services since June 5, 1649. Full details for this work appear on the instructions, but as they relate to the soldiers they need not be described here.

Further instructions to these Commissioners were approved on September 27. They were to declare that all the persons who by the Act of Qualifications[1] or by private articles had got a claim for land in Ireland must remove to Connaught by May, 1654, on pain of death. At the same time mandatory instructions were given to the Commissioners to set out land to them of such value as by the Act of Qualifications they were entitled to enjoy. Those who removed before that date were pardoned all offences except that of having killed any private loyal individual during the war, or having made war on the loyalists without being in the pay of the Confederate government. Any of these persons who wished to enter a port or garrison town in Connaught must get a passport from the Commissioners or their agents, and keep no arms. Persons violating this rule were liable to be tried by martial law and executed.

These rules only applied to Irishmen who had been in arms between October, 1641, and September, 1643—the date of Ormonde's first peace with the Irish. They did not apply to any person who was in September, 1643, a Protestant and had still remained so, nor to any woman married before September, 1650, to an English Protestant and who embraced the Protestant religion.[2] All boys under fourteen and girls under twelve were allowed to stay on, provided the settlers should be willing to engage them as servants and train them in the Protestant religion. Protestants might come out

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(1) The Act passed August 12, 1652.

(2) Showing that it was the religion, not the race, of the Irish which the English statesmen desired to exterminate.

of Connaught to the other provinces, and the transplanted persons were given a Parliamentary title for 21 years or three lives at a reasonable rent. A few clauses in favour of individuals with strong claims upon the Government conclude the instructions.

Parliament had proceeded on the assumption that there would be a surplus of land after payment had been made to the first set of adventurers and soldiers. On this assumption they had put in the soldiers and officers whose arrears were for service since 1649. The assumption was soon discovered to be incorrect. In November, 1653, the General Council of the Adventurers agreed to take lands at a higher valuation (and thus to take a smaller area). At this advanced rate the disbanded soldiers were paid, but discontent arose at once, and the settlers claimed the full measure allowed them by the Act. It soon appeared that on this valuation the land which was of avail for officers and soldiers would not pay more than two-thirds of the soldiers who were unpaid for service since 1649. Those who were claimants for earlier service had as yet received no payment, and the Council were asked to satisfy them with Church lands or in the four counties reserved for the State. We find it suggested in May, 1654,[1] that the valuation of the land already taken should be raised so that it might pay the charge and thus acquit the State of further liability. The adventurers and soldiers were not going to be content even with all the land at the disposal of the State if it did not satisfy them according to the Act. Another suggestion therefore was to revalue the land by counties and not by provinces, estimating the better land at a higher and the worse at a lower value, which might make the whole go further. The State, in fact, was confronted with the impossibility of making good its promise in acres, roods and poles.

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[1] Thurloe II., 313-4.

The planters went on but slowly with their work—almost every habitable house "fit for an Englishman to dwell in" had been wrecked during the civil war, and the Navigation Act prevented the importation by Dutch ships of timber from Spruce[1] and Norway. In June, 1654, the Commissioners in Ireland suggested that the regulations of the Navigation Act should be suspended as to Ireland in order that building might commence. In the meantime the Commissioners were not gaining popularity. They took large tracts of land for themselves[2] and could not be induced to give satisfactory decisions to the adventurers. The taxes were very high, and as they were assessed not on individuals but on areas, industrious and thrifty persons were liable for the defaults of their neighbours. This arrangement threw a serious burden upon those persons—officers with *custodiums* or loyalists who had not been transplanted, and who were already in possession of estates and carrying on the business of farming.[3] The special enactments in favour of individuals such as Col. Hewson, Capt. Blackwell and others gave cause for jealousy among many officers. Col. Hewson had got lands near Dublin by a special clause in the Act of September 26, 1653,[4] but his grant was so valuable that Fleetwood thought it should be made to him at the sale of £1,500 the thousand acres. The soldiers and officers who had served before June 5, 1649, in particular, were discontented, and instructions had to be issued to the Lord Deputy for securing their interest,[5] but to the end of the period they remained unsatisfied.

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(1) Thurloe II., 404. The use of the name "Spruce" for Prussia in this letter would possibly modify Professor Skeat's views on the word "Spruce-fir," which he would derive from *Sprossenfichte*. *See* his *Etymological Dictionary*, edition of 1878.

(2) *Ibid.*, 149 and 164.

(3) Jennings to Howard, April 5, 1654. Thurloe S.P. II., 213.

(4) Thurloe II., 509; and see above p. xxiv.

(5) Scobell, p. 250.

In June, 1654, a fresh order was passed for "further encouragement to the Adventurers for lands in Ireland and of the soldiers and other planters there." It was passed by the Protector and Council and not by Parliament. It laid down the amount of the taxes to be paid by Ireland. This was to be £10,000 a month for the first two years and was to go on increasing[1] year by year after the end of that period. Colleges and hospitals were exempted and had only to pay their head rents. Unplanted lands were exempted, and the abuse of demanding forage or free quarters without proper authority was stopped. Freedom of trade in horses and stock was granted, as it had been in 1653, and the customs and excise of Ireland were assimilated to those of England. Soldiers and adventurers were to be freed from quit-rent for five years, or else these rents were to be capitalised and land in the co. Kildare of a value equal to their capital value was to be given to those who had to pay the rents. Those who had equitable claims on the forfeited lands in the ten counties and Louth were to state them before July 14, 1654, to the Registrar of forfeited lands to be dealt with. The Adventurers were also allowed to occupy castles and forts if there was no garrison there, and provision was made for inducing preachers to go to Ireland.

At the same time (June 27, 1654) as this order was passed, another measure was carried for indemnifying the Protestants who had joined Ormond and Inchiquin "seduced and drawn by the policy and power of the said Lords to follow them in their treacherous revolt."[2] Though no allowance for arrears before the revolt was made to them, they were leniently treated. The richer men amongst them were to be fined, even if only in arms up to December 1, 1649, but the poorer were exempted, unless they had remained in arms against the Parliament

(1) Scobell, p. 314, for details.

(2) *Ibid.* p. 317.

after that date. The Lord Deputy and Council were, however, given power to award arrears to such of the Munster officers as they should find had promoted the Parliamentary cause there at the time of Oliver's invasion, and such arrears were to be paid in land, together with those paid to other officers and soldiers.[1]

The execution of these Acts was left to the Commissioners in Ireland, who were subordinate to General Fleetwood. Fleetwood had arrived in Ireland in September, 1652, between the time of the passing of the Act of 1652 and of the Act of 1653, and he seems to have seen pretty early that the task upon which Parliament had embarked was impossible of execution. In August, 1654, eleven months after the passing of the Act of 1653, he received instructions as Lord Deputy, and amongst other things was authorised to dispense with transplantation of the natives to Connaught and Clare whenever he thought right. He was empowered to make a proclamation announcing that this power had been entrusted to him,[2] and it is plain from his letters [3] of that time that the idea of transplanting natives wholesale had been abandoned by the month of August. The order in Council of September 2, 1654,[4] which empowered the Lord Deputy and Council to pardon Protestant delinquents who had not been specially excepted from pardon for life or estate, is another measure shewing the increasing leniency of the Government. Though it shortly led to difficulties, it was not opposed by Fleetwood, whose chief care was to keep the four counties reserved for the State in order that the Government might have some assured revenue. "Your former letter," he wrote,[5] "has

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(1) Scobell, p. 319, for other details.

(2) Thurloe State Papers. II., 508.

(3) *e.g.*, to Thurloe, August 2, 1654; *ibid.* p. 516.

(4) Scobell, p. 359.

(5) July 12, 1654; Thurloe II., 445.

given an assurance [of] care therein: yet I see at one time lately the whole county of Clare is given away." "Things are here in a very quiet posture," he wrote later,[1] "and I hope . . . will so continue." But he was anxious to have money for keeping up the forces and saw that the time was not one when retrenchment should go too far. His task was rendered much lighter by the desire which the Irish soldiers shewed to emigrate. In October Lord Muskerry wished to export 5,000 for service abroad, but was unable to do so without leave from the Protector.[2] Fleetwood pressed for leave to be given and asked that no security should be demanded. No doubt many of the Irish soldiers embarked for abroad at this time. The conclusion of the war had taken their occupation from them and they probably did not care—even if they had the option of doing so—to accept such terms as Parliament offered them. Yet the settlement proceeded slowly. The Adventurers were paying their officials fees for survey and management, but not much progress was being made. In November, 1654, questions of reducing the army and setting up law courts were chiefly occupying the Lord Deputy's mind, but Fleetwood begs[3] that the four courts may not be set up yet as the country is not thoroughly planted, and it is not possible to find able and honest lawyers to sit on the Bench. In January, 1655, he spoke on the book "Arguments against Transplantation" which had just appeared and which was widely circulated in Dublin much to the prejudice of the State, whilst we learn from a letter[4] of his of the following month that things were not going well with the land settlement. The interest of the English adventurers conflicted with that of the Irish Protestants such as Lord Moore, who, under the

(1) To Thurloe, 22 Sep., 1654; *ibid.* p. 620.

(2) Thurloe II., 693.

(3) See Thurloe II., 733.

(4) To Thurloe, Feb. 10, 1655; Thurloe III., 145.

ordinance for compounding of September 2, 1654, could come in and have back their estates on payment of a fine. Fleetwood suspected strongly that the objections of the Adventurers were really put forward *mala fide* in order to discourage the mass of the speculators from spending money on their newly acquired lands and to induce them to part with these lands for unduly small sums. "We have now begun the business of our partial transplantation," he wrote in March, 1655. "The Council on a very serious debate do think they have a power to transplant all that expect any benefit by the Qualifications of the Act of Settlement. However, at present we proceed to do it gradually, and to revoke it, I believe, must be the exercise of the legislative power." But the Irish agents in London had told the Irish leaders in Ireland that for £500 they could buy off transplantation,[1] and the strained relations between England and Spain once more raised in the Irish the ancient hope of a Spanish invasion. In May, when Fleetwood travelled through Leinster, Munster and Connaught, he was surprised to find how quiet all things were, and how the country was beginning "beyond all expectation, to grow up into a settlement and plantation." A very goodly country it is, he adds, "and if the Lord please that it were but better peopled, is would not be inferior to England.[2] There is great plenty of all things, beyond what can be imagined, considering what devastations there have been." On the work of transplantation Fleetwood spent four days at Athlone. He conversed with the leading western gentlemen, such as the Earl of Westmeath, and hoped that the transplantation would go on better than it had previously done.[3]

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(1) W. Fleetwood to Thurloe, 6 Mar., 1655; Thurloe III., 196.

(2) An interesting confirmation of Strafford's view, for which see *Calendar of S.P. Ireland*, 1633-47, p. 168.

(3) To the Protector, 20 June, 1655; *ibid.*, 566-7.

In the course of this journey the Lord Deputy found several of the officers objecting, because in some of their orders of allotment the Commissioners of Parliament had permitted the allotters to keep "Irish proprietors on their allotments, and finding most of his Council against the giving of this liberty, he recalled the orders in which it was conceded." "I clearly see," however, he says, "that we must encounter with more and more difficulties when the Adventurers and soldiers are in possession, Irish tenants being easier to get and of more present profit than English." [1]

In July, 1655, Henry Cromwell arrived in Ireland with a military commission as Major-General of the forces in Ireland, and early in August Fleetwood was directed to return to England. At the same time the army was greatly reduced—thirty-six companies of foot and fifteen troops of horse were disbanded. On August 22 Major-General Cromwell wrote that the process of settling these soldiers on the land would be complete in a fortnight. The work was done very quietly, but Henry Cromwell feared from the first that these men would not take to planting and wanted other employment for them. The question of exporting Irish girls and boys occupied him for some months, but the terms on which they were to go could not be arranged. In October, 1655, Thurloe wrote to know what sum should be allowed for each girl who went out, suggesting 13*s.* 4*d.* or 20*s.*—at least £2 to £3 of modern money. A correspondence on the matter followed,[2] but there is no evidence that the girls were ever sent to Jamaica, or even assembled for that purpose. In the autumn and winter of 1655 the Irish natives moved uneasily, in sympathy with the hostility to

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[1] July 4, 1655, Thurloe III., 612.

[2] Thurloe IV., 75, 100, 191, 198. See also Major Sedgwick's letter from Jamaica (12 Mar., 1656), *ibid.*, p. 604, where no mention of Irish girls is made, though they were evidently much needed.

England shewn by Spain. Attempts on the part of transplanted persons to send their stock back from Connaught to Leinster were reported from Dublin in January, 1656, and the exiled Prince Charles was believed to be planning a landing in Munster. In or about October, 1655, Henry Cromwell sent over to the Secretary of State certain suggestions for dispensing with the transportation of the Irish but had on November 14 received no answer from London on it. Meantime the war which had broken out with Spain had so strengthened the hope of a Spanish invasion, that the Government found it necessary to clear the Irish out of Galway, a place peculiarly liable to a Spanish naval attack. The ordinance of 1653 had directed that this clearance should take place, but it seems that it had not been executed.[1] In the same way when Ireland became restless in the autumn of 1656, Henry Cromwell prepared[2] to strengthen his position east of the Shannon by enforcing the transplantation rules against certain notable Irishmen who had refused to obey them. Galway he hoped to plant, for it had been cleared of Irish, and there were not six families in it. He also desired to see the rents of the Adventurers raised. Many of these had sub-let their holdings at an immense increase—sometimes at seven times the rent which they were asked to pay by the State.[3]

In 1655 progress and trade in Ireland were paralysed by the importation of Mexican "ryalls," which were put in circulation at 4*s.* 6*d.*, but were found, on assay, to contain only 2*s.* 6*d.* worth of silver. Throughout the summer, however, Ireland was quiet, and in spite of many apprehensions and preparations the war with Spain caused only a faint echo of disturbance through the country. Nevertheless in the autumn a call to arms was made. On September 16 Henry Cromwell said—writing

(1) H. Cromwell to Thurloe, 14 Nov., 1655; Thurloe IV., 198.
(2) *Ibid.* p. 483.
(3) *Ibid.* 483; also p. 509.

from Kilkenny[1] when on a journey via Cashel, Kilmallock, and Limerick, to Galway—that he could put 5,000 foot and 30 companies of horse into the field, and he declared that, if a Royalist invasion came, 12 troops and 20 companies of Protestants favourable to the Parliament could be raised in Leinster alone. Over 200 suspects were arrested in September whilst the general was on his progress through Munster and Connaught. In November[2] again, Cromwell spoke of the readiness of the planters to serve in a militia for protection against the Tories, "who do daily infest and trouble the plantations." The seizure of the Plate fleet by Sir Edward Stayner on September 8, 1656, practically put an end to the prospect of invasion, but the General remained anxious to incorporate the militia.

By 1656 the first survey made by Government Surveyors under the Act of 1653 was complete. Doctor Petty, the army physician, had meantime been busy surveying lands for the army, and a rough and ready distribution had been made in March, 1656.[3] The Adventurers had been put into possession of their lands by drawing of lots, but they had not done more than to say that X and Y or Z were to have lands of a certain value in a certain barony. An arrangement of this kind, lacking in the most essential details, could not give satisfaction, and caused constant difficulties. Amongst these the foremost was the existence of equitable charges upon the forfeited lands. Many of them were, indeed, held by Roman Catholics, but in trust for Protestants. Upon many Catholic properties Protestant mortgagees had valuable charges. Parliament was confronted by the fact that it could not fulfil its promises to the Adventurers without grave injustice even to its own partisans.

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(1) Thurloe V., 422-3.

(2) To Thurloe, Nov. 12; Thurloe, S.P. V., 586.

(3) Fitzmaurice's *Life of Sir Wm. Petty*, pp. 42 and 62.

By the confirming Act of 1656,[1] however, the allottees or those to whom they had assigned were confirmed in their possession and given a Parliamentary title. The Lord Deputy[2] and Council were empowered to allot lands to officers and soldiers whose arrears had not yet been satisfied and to grant patents to all who desired them. The "grand allottees"—those to whom shares of land had fallen on which other people had several claims—were to make conveyances at once in accordance with those claims and these conveyances were confirmed by the Statute. Decrees for possession of or for encumbrances on the allotted lands already made by the Court of Adjudication of Claims in Dublin, and such as should afterwards be made of that Court before 1 June, 1658, were, moreover, confirmed, but the encumbrancers had to come in at once and prosecute their claims. General saving clauses were put in to protect Trinity College, Dublin, those who had been pardoned or admitted to compound, and those who had got lands by special grant from Parliament or the Council of State.

An Act of Attainder followed in the same year[3] and repeated the penal enactments against disloyal[4] Roman Catholics who had taken part in the rebellion. Protestants' estates and those held by rebels or Papists as trustees for Protestants on trusts made before October, 1641 were, however, excepted. Encumbrancers who had claims to make on the allotted lands and who had not stated them yet before the Court of Claims, were to make them at once before the Chancellor and Barons of the Exchequer.

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(1) Scobell, part 2, p. 478, &c.

(2) Fleetwood still held this title, though no longer in Ireland. Henry Cromwell was appointed Lord Deputy on 16 Nov., 1657.

(3) Scobell, p. 500, *et seq.* for details. The date is not given.

(4) The phrase is "who had not manifested their constant good affections to the interests of the Commonwealth of England."

Claims of the same kind on forfeited lands outside the eleven counties were to be put in at such time before June, 1658, as the judges might prescribe, or else to be forfeited. Those transplanted to Connaught were to have as good titles as they had had before—except priests and Jesuits. The transplanted persons were to move before September, 1657, or lose their claims and be liable to punishment, but capital punishment was only to be passed on persons belonging to the first four categories in the Act for Settling of Ireland.[1] The children and near relatives of disloyal Papists were also transplanted and were not to return without leave, but Roman Catholics in Dublin who were loyal and who had got leases from Protestants between 1647 and 1652 were to remain unmolested. The Act further contained a clause of indemnity for all attainted of high treason by its passing, in so far as to enable them to enjoy their estates, if these were in Connaught or Clare. Loyal Roman Catholics in England and the towns of Cork, Youghal and Kinsale, were excepted from the rule as to transplantation, and a few private clauses for benefit of the Countess of Ormond, Lord Herbert and others, were put in at the conclusion of the Act.

This measure, undoubtedly more lenient than its predecessors, is the last which need be mentioned in the present preface. It is difficult to avoid straying from the somewhat confined subject matter of this volume into the general history of the period, but even within its limited sphere there is enough to show that the settlement was never either complete or successful. The documents on pages 357-365 of the volume practically form its conclusion, and, in some measure, offer a conclusion on the whole subject. The first document on those pages, probably compiled in Sept., 1658, shews the difficulties in the situation according to the Adventurers' view. The survey made by the Government

[1] *i.e.* the Act of August, 1652.

under the Act of 1653 was, they said, defective and did not give them as much as was their due. Some people had managed to get more land than was due to them, and some less. Several of the baronies contained more acres than was necessary to satisfy the claimants upon them, whilst others had not enough. It was under these circumstances that Dr. Petty was appointed in Sept., 1656,[1] to make a fresh and more complete survey of Ireland. His work for the adventurers was to last from the date of his appointment to the spring of 1658.[2]

The letters which have come down, dealing with the spring and summer of 1657, say very little about Ireland. In April the Council of Ireland foresaw that the transplantation to Connaught would give trouble.[3] The "proprietors, swordmen, and other dangerous and disaffected persons," who had been removed there from all parts of the country, were a menace to Galway and were the cause of its being handed over to the Corporation of Gloucester. In the summer months, although all fear of Spanish invasion had passed away, the "great abbey" outside Galway[4] was pulled down and the iron and lead in it used for fortifying the town. In Tipperary the Tories were raiding some of the soldiers' settlements and there were no buildings in which they could defend themselves.[5] In November, Henry Cromwell was appointed Lord Deputy, and his early letters show that the question of arrears of the army was really the question of the rights of the Adventurers in another form. The soldiers disbanded in 1655, for whom lands

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(1) Fitzmaurice's *Life of Sir Wm. Petty*, edition of 1895, p. 56.

(2) It seems to be implied in Lord Edward Fitzmaurice's statement as above, pp. 60-64, that the work ended at this time.

(3) To Thurloe; Thurloe, S.P. VI., 209-10.

(4) Probably the Dominican friary which had been first demolished in 1652. See Archdale *Mon. Hib.* p. 287.

(5) Sir C. Coote to H. Cromwell, 13 July, 1657; Thurloe VI., 400.

were appointed, had not yet been paid. However that had come about, the result was that these men had had to be paid with money coming in and due to the remainder of the army for their current pay. The experiment of using Irish land as a means of clearing off military obligations contracted in the war had been unsuccessful,[1] yet Henry Cromwell urged that no reduction of the standing forces should take place. In December the Adventurers were not yet settled, and the revenue was dislocated by the sending over of letters for large special grants from England.[2] In January, 1658, the question of satisfying the Adventurers who fell into redundant baronies was taken in hand, and Henry Cromwell explained the policy of the Government to the Committee at Grocers' Hall.[3] Louth and Kildare had both been handed over to them before the end of 1657, and in March, Henry Cromwell wrote to General Fleetwood that he was now "about settling the Adventurers and would try to treat them fairly," and begged Fleetwood to inform them of his good intentions. The difficulties of deficient lands was, however, not the only one in the way of a final settlement. It seems from Henry Cromwell's account that there was a general struggle for the best land, each Adventurer proposing a different method of admeasurement according as it would suit his plans. The State ordered a survey of its own, and when this was complete Cromwell wished to compare it with the Adventurers' survey, in order that errors might be corrected and the precise amount of the land still at the State's disposal discovered.

As students of Dr. Petty's life know, his work for the adventurers was strenuously opposed by the officers in Ireland who hoped to profit by the imperfections of the

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(1) Henry Cromwell to the Protector, Thurloe IV., 649, *et seq.*

(2) *Ibid.* 683. (3) Thurloe IV., 759, *et seq.*

Adventurers' survey. The soldiers were on the spot. The adventurers were not so. Probably not one in twenty ever intended to settle in Ireland. The majority of them merely desired a suitable piece of land which would recoup them for their original outlay with interest. When the survey was complete Dr. Petty found himself between two fires—that of the soldiers who were greedy for more land, and that of the adventurers who thought that they had not got enough. A reference to Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice's Life of Petty will explain the circumstances under which the documents on pages 357-365 of my text came to be written; and reciprocally these documents, of which abstracts have been given, will, I hope, elucidate what the biographer of Petty has written.

The concluding pages of the present volume are filled with documents relating to the claims of persons whose property had been requisitioned by the Parliament or its officers during the war, or by others who had claims on its indulgence. Anthony Tither and Henry Box had supplied drugs for the Irish army. Captain Thomas Beale had given provisions out of his ship the *Great Lewis* for the relief of Duncannon fort in 1644. Richard Littler, of London, apothecary, had given drugs. Amy Taylor, of Bandonbridge, widow, had found nails and iron for the defence of Bandonbridge in 1642. Richard Lock, of Bristol, had had 15,000 dried cod seized by Lord Inchiquin, had been compelled by Col. Fiennes to man his ship the *Reformation* for the defence of Bristol against Prince Rupert, and had suffered other losses. There is also[1] the establishment for a train of artillery in Ireland (about 1653) with its list of "Captain of the Matrosses," "work baces," "gabion maker," and others. An interesting bequest by Thomas Westrowe, of Twickenham, who subscribed £300 under the Act of 1642,

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[1] p. 386.

will be found on page 21. Amongst the many extracts of wills it stands alone in an expression of charity and friendship for the dispossessed Irish. Another will[1] charges the devisee of lands in Ireland to use the one half of the profits of the land for bringing up Irish children in the true Protestant religion "which I charge him to settle to that use in the best manner he can, that God may bless his estate the better." Were these pious Puritans restless on their death-beds at the thought of the great act of war in which they were taking part?

By far the greatest number of the Adventurers came from London and Middlesex; but we have also many subscriptions from Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Devonshire, Somerset and elsewhere.[2] The sheriffs in many cases acted as collectors and sent in the money to Grocers' Hall, but in London the subscriptions were generally made directly to the Receivers. The joint and several adventures often gave rise to considerable difficulties, and the papers in this volume enable us to see how great must have been the amount of work imposed on the Committee at Grocers' Hall. One may take, as an instance,[3] the case of Henry Colbron, Nicholas Gye, Matthias Rutton and Christopher Meredith, who together adventured £675 in 1642. The whole was paid in before 20 July, 1642, so that these men would be entitled to be paid in Irish acres. Of the £675, £200 belonged to Meredith. Meredith died before 1653, and left his daughter Mary and her husband Richard Harlakenden residuary legatees. They assigned their share in 1653 to Bartholomew Fosson, who assigned to another. Henry Colbron, together with Thomas Davis, held a part share of £75, of which Davis held £50. The whole share of £75 having come to Colbron, he sold it

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(1) Will of John Packer, p. 88.

(2) See Index under names of these counties and of places in them.

(3) From pp. 26-7.

in January, 1655, for £30 to William Heather, of St. Saviour's, Southwark, tailor. It fell in the barony of Ikerrin, and in the list for that barony we find Heather entered for £75 worth of land.[1] Colbron had a further share of £25 in this adventure, and this he sold in November, 1654, to Heather, for £12 10*s*. Matthias Rutton assigned his share (£200) to his grandson, so that of the four original shareholders only Nicholas Gye held his share to the end. A glance at these documents shows what an amount of trouble might be caused by the need of verifying even a single claim of the value of £675.

The money paid in through the Mayor, Aldermen and sheriff of Exeter amounted in all to a very large sum.[2] The important counties of Devon and Cornwall were, as I have before suggested, probably the first to realise the magnitude of the Irish rebellion. No doubt their trade with Ireland suffered severely by the destruction of Irish credit, and they had a greater stake in the country, a truer knowledge of the possibilities of Spanish conquest, a deeper interest in the maintenance of order, and more certainty of the value of Irish land, than other parts of the kingdom. The Mayor and Burgesses of Gloucester advanced £1,350[3] by a joint subscription, and in 1653 drew their lands in the barony of Stradbally in the Queen's Co. As we know, they were also awarded the whole town of Galway a year or two afterwards. It is interesting to notice that in August, 1642, agreements were made in view of the contingency that the Irish might not be subdued and no land recovered in respect of the Adventures,[4] but agreements of this kind are extremely rare. A very full record of the joint corporation of the citizens of Dartmouth

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(1) See Prendergast (ed. of 1870), p. 399. Heather also made an adventure on his own account.

(2) See Index *s.v. Exeter* and *Devon*.

(3) p. 38 and p. 349.

(4) p. 137.

is preserved,[1] and amongst other things in it one may notice that the word "spinster" is applied to a man.[2] The order of the Lords and Commons of June 18, 1642, calendared at the top of p. 309, is not in the Lords' or Commons' Journals for that date. We have not many instances of receipts being given for goods and not money, but in August, 1643, Isaac Key of Nayland, in Suffolk, "say-maker," paid in £12 by handing in "three pieces of coloured sayes (or serge cloth) valued at £4 the piece,"[3] whilst Charles Richardson paid in in September, 1644, 500 couple of "Narsie Haberdines."[4] I have not been able to discover what was the "new laced *lameing*" which Col. George Starr left to a friend in 1647.[5]

The lists on pp. 342-355 are the fullest lists of Adventurers contained in these papers: and will no doubt be of interest to historians of private affairs or genealogists in Ireland. It will be noticed that of the names given very few survive to-day in the counties in which they here appear. A few such names are, of course, obvious to all readers, and local knowledge will, doubtless, recognise more; but on the whole this great undertaking left no permanent mark on the land. Half in loyalty to the Protestant religion and half in hopes of five per cent. those civilian speculators of London, of its suburbs, of Kent and Surrey, Buckinghamshire and Norfolk, of Devon, Exeter, Dartmouth, Taunton, Gloucester, or Bristol, opened their purses in 1642 and 1643. But whatever of English growth was grafted upon the Irish stem in these years came from the officers and soldiers, and not from civilian investors. So far as they were concerned the adventure added little to, and took little from, the English power in Ireland. It would be interesting to compare this settlement with those of Elizabeth and

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(1) p. 251, *et seq.* (2) Richard Puckle, p. 256. (3) p. 333.

(4) p. 337. Haberdines = salt fish: but I have found no satisfactory explanation for the word "Narsie."

(5) p. 305.

James I., and to give a final judgment upon its justice and policy, but the task of doing so would carry me beyond the papers which are calendared in this volume. The parallel volume of State Papers, which will be published in a few months, will contain some evidence as to the limit of the success which that plantation attained: but the whole subject cannot be properly discussed until the papers of the first years of Charles II. have been read and digested. The period of power which was granted to Cromwell and the Cromwellian statesmen was so short that it is impossible to say whether the system which they adopted was a success or a failure. Its operation had barely commenced when the Restoration came. Though some attempt was made by Charles II. to use and build on the Cromwellian foundation, the principles of the new monarchy differed so widely from those of the Protectorate that their policies in Ireland cannot be regarded as parts of the same system. Cromwell and his statesmen laid in Ireland a substantial foundation. In order to do so they had to raze the hostile fortress which, many times stormed, had once more been erected in Ireland in the evil days of Charles the First's misgovernment. The odium cast upon them by this work of destruction has never completely died out, and a well-known Irish author of recent years has thought well to revive it. It was destined that, before the Cromwellians could raise a permanent structure upon their own foundation, power should pass from their hands.

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August, 1903.

STATE PAPERS, IRELAND.

COMMONWEALTH.

1641—1659.

DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE ADVENTURERS FOR LANDS IN IRELAND.

These documents consist of receipts for sums subscribed for "the speedy reducing of the rebels in Ireland." They are signed by Aldermen John Towse, John Warner, Thomas Andrewes, and by Lawrence Halstead, or two or more of them, who were authorised to receive subscriptions by the Act of 1641.[1] These receipts state that these are "persons authorised to receive all such sums of money as shall be paid into the Chamber of London, according to certain propositions made for the speedy reducing of the rebels of Ireland and confirmed by the assent of his Majesty and of the Lords and Commons in Parliament." In the text of the calendar these officers are termed for brevity "the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament."

This form is printed and common to all the receipts. Many of them are accompanied by documents assigning them to others, duly signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of witnesses. The following entries give the names of the subscribers, the sums subscribed and the date of subscription, together with the assignments of the interests acquired by the investment of the money for which the receipts have been given. The receipts constituted claims upon the forfeited lands in Ireland, and were the basis of the allotment in July, 1653. In July, 1643, and again in Nov., 1647, similar subscriptions were authorised and invited by Parliament; and Treasurers were appointed to receive them. Many of these receipts also appear in the following pages.

1654. 19 May. Assignment by Wm. Graves, of London, blacksmith.

His lot for £200 has fallen in the barony of Decies in Waterford. He assigns it to Richard Loton, of the parish of Mary Matfellon *alias* Whitechapel, in Middlesex, and Thomas Whalley, of the same parish, clerk.

(1) The Act is given in the Statutes as 16 Car. I., cap. 33; but was passed after the outbreak of the Irish Insurrection. *See note on p.* 178 *of Statutes of the Realm, Vol. V.*

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1654.

Covenants for quiet enjoyment and for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 1.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. 27 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, £25 and £25 from Graves, as above. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 2, 3 *and* 4.

1654. 14 April. Assignment by Samuel Gardner, of Evisham (Evesham), in Worcestershire.

He drew for £250 and his lot fell in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary. He assigns it to Joseph Rathorne, of London, factor. *P.* 1. *Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of witnesses. Ibid.* 5.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £250 from Gardner, as above. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 6.

1649. 2 July. Assignment by Mark Hildesley, of London, vintner.

Assigning his receipts, or the equivalent lands to Robert Preice, of London, mercer. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 7.

1642. 26 March. 1 June. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £50, from Hildesley, as above. *P.* ½ *and p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 9 *and* 11.

5 April. 5 July. 19 July. Three receipts by same for £12 10*s.*, £12 10*s.* and £25 from Clement Coxon, of Wapping, tailor. *P.* ½ *each. All endorsed with assignments dated* 1 *Dec.*, 1652, *to* Thomas White, of Stepney, Middlesex, gentleman. *Ibid.* 10, 12 *and* 13.

1649. 21 June. Certificate of Thomas Andrewes, Lord Mayor of London, and Treasurer, amongst others, at Guildhall.

Hogan Hovell, of London, grocer, on 28 April, 1642, advanced £200 for Ireland. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 14.

1653. 23 July. Assignment by Hoogan Hovell.

Assigning Joshua Sweeting, citizen and pewterer, of London, the £200 worth of lands, &c., for which he has drawn the province of Leinster. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 15.

1642. 2 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £250 from Sir Robert Pye, M.P., for £250—the first quarter of an investment of £1,000. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 16.

1642.

28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by same for £25 and £25 from Nicholas Hayward. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 288, 17 *and* 18.

2 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same for £150 and £450 from Wm. Heveningham, M.P. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 19 *and* 20.

19 July. 24 April. Same by same for £75 and £25 from James Webster, of Chesterfield, in Derbyshire, for £75. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 21 *and* 22.

Bequest by Simon Bardolph, of Richmond, *alias* West Sheen, in Surrey.

Bequeaths his £300 share in the adventure to his daughter Anne Mawhood and her heirs. Will proved 10 Dec., 1654. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Followed by—*

Certificate and copy of the same. *P.* 1. *Signed,* Wm. Tibbes. *Endd. In all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 23 *and* 25.

30 April (2). 19 July (2). Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Simon Bardolph, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 24 *and* 26–28.

"1654. 23 Jan. According to the English account." Assignment by Anne Mawhood.

Assigning her interest acquired by Simon Bardolf's bequest, to Charles Lloyd, of London, in return for a sum of money. Her lot has fallen in Slievemargie, Queen's Co.

Covenants for quiet enjoyment and for further assurances.

P. 1. *Parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 29.

5 May. 19 July (2). Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £500, £51 17*s.* 6*d.* and £123 2*s.* 6*d.* from Edward Wood, of London, grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Ibid.* 30, 31 *and* 31*a.*

1653. 2 May. Indenture of Agreement between Abraham Otger, of London, merchant, and James Wainwright, citizen and haberdasher, of the same.

Otger subscribed £750 for the Irish adventure; and this has been doubled by the Ordinance of Parliament of 14 July, 1643. His lot has fallen in Eastmeath.

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13 March. Assignment by Alice, widow and executrix of Thos. Fountain, of Hulcott, Bucks, and by Thos. Fountain, his son.

They assign their adventure of £200 to James Perry, of London, skinner for good consideration. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Alice and Thos. Fountain, *in the presence of witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 63.

1642. 15 April. 12 July. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, £100 and £50 from Thomas Fountain. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 64–66.

165½. 2 March. Assignment by Wm. Viner, of London, joiner.

Of his adventure of £100 to John Perry, of London, skinner, for good consideration. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 67. *Followed by—*

1642. 2 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 and £75 from Viner. *Each p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 68 *and* 68*a*.

23 March. 12 July. 19 July. Three receipts by the same for £25, £25 and £50 from Christopher Love, minister. *Each p.* ½; *one endd. Ibid.* 69–71.

1654. 13 May. Assignment by George Clerke, of London, merchant, son of William Clerke.

He is assignee of Henry Whittingham, of London's adventure of £250, which is fallen in the barony of Moghergallen [Morgallion]. He assigns £50 of it for good consideration to Thomas Watson, of Holditch, in Staffordshire. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 72.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200 paid in by Whittingham. *P.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 73.

1643. 16 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50 from the same. *P.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 74.

1653. 1 June. Assignment by Whittingham, as above.

Assigning his adventure of £250 to George Clerke, as above, for a sum of money. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 75.

10 Nov. Assignment by Richard Darnelly, of London, haberdasher.

Assigning his lot for £100, which is fallen in Antrim, to Sir John Clotworthy, kt., of St. Martin's in the Fields, for valuable consideration.[1] Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 76.

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(1) The fact that consideration is given is not repeated in the following entries unless the amount thereof is stated in the MS.

1653.

10 Nov. Further Assignment by the same, with Wm. Frith and John French.

Assigning their lot of £250, which is drawn in Antrim to Sir John Clotworthy. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed by the assignors, &c., as foregoing. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 79.

1642. 29 March. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 and £25 paid by Darnelly. *Each p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 77 *and* 78.

1643. 19 July. 18 Aug. 13 Oct. Three further receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £16 13*s.* 4*d.*, paid in by Darnelly, Frith and French. *Each p.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 80, 81 *and* 82.

164½. 23 March. A further receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £196 paid in by Darnelly, Frith and French, and for £4 by same. *P.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 83.

1654. 1 Sep. Assignment by Wm. Mountague, of London, whitebaker.

Assigning his lot for £31 5*s.*, which has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary, to Thos. Gower, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 84.

1642. 28 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £12 10*s.* and £12 10*s.*, from Mountague, as above. *Each p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 85 *and* 86.

1643. 24 July. 2 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £3 2*s.* 6*d.*, from the same, of Coleman Street, London. *Each p.* ¼. *One endd. Ibid.* 87 *and* 88.

1649. 30 July. Certificate by Thomas Andrews, now Lord Mayor of London.

Henry Hampson subscribed £200 on the propositions for reducing the rebels in Ireland. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 89.

1642. 19 April. 9 July. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers, under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, £50, and £75 paid by Francis Collins, of London, skinner. *Each p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 91, 92 *and* 93.

21 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £37 10*s.* from the same, of "Friday St., London." *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 90.

165⁰/₁. 17 Jan. Assignment by Edward Hales, of Tunstall, in Kent, son and heir of Sir John Hales, of the same.

Assigning £1,200 in the Irish adventure, put in by Sir Edward Hales, Kt., M.P., to Richard Dounton, or Downton, of Istleworth (Isleworth), Middlesex, in return for £400. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as above. Endd. Ibid.* 94.

165½.

16 Feb. Same by Richard Downton, of Isleworth, in Middlesex.

Assigning £1,200 assigned him by Edward Hales to Edmund Lewin, of London, merchant tailor, for £500. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as above. S.P. Ireland* 288, 95.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300 and £900 paid by "Sir Edward Hales, Kt. and Bt., M.P., for Edward Hales, Esq., son of Sir John Hales, Kt., deceased." *P.* ¼ *and p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 96 *and* 97.

15 July. Receipt by same for £75 from Samuel Line, of "Southreke" [Southwark], carpenter. *P.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 98.

20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the same for £25 and £75 from Wm. Pitcher, of London, draper. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 99 *and* 100.

165½. 2 March. Certificate by Thomas Andrewes, Alderman of London, and Treasurer, with others, for funds advanced for lands in Ireland.

Samuel Lynne [or Line: *see No.* 98 *above*] advanced on 28 March, 1642, £25 as one-fourth of his subscription. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 101.

1652. 25 June. Same by the Same.

Charles Crooke, D.D., of Amson [Amersham?], Bucks., on 13 July, 1642, advanced £112 10*s.* "being in full of £225 subscribed by him to be adventured for lands in Ireland." *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 102.

1642. 24 March. 15 June. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £56 5*s.* from Charles Croke [or Crooke], clerk, of Amersham. *Each p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 103 *and* 104.

1653. 24 June. Assignment by Alexander Freeman, of London, gentleman.

As son and heir of Thomas Freeman he assigns £200 adventured by his father, Thomas Lenthall and James Clark, to Henry Pettitt, citizen and merchant tailor of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 105.

1652. 17 April. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Thomas Freeman, Thomas Lenthall and James Clark advanced £150 on 30 March, 1642, for land in Ireland as an instalment of £600. The remainder was paid in the following July. They have made an affidavit before one of the Masters of the Chancery that the receipts are lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 106.

165¾.

20 March. Assignment by Henry Pettit, of London, citizen and merchant tailor.

Assigning to Erasmus Smith the £200 assigned him by Alex. Freeman (*see above, No.* 105) and such land in Ireland as may be allotted to him in lieu thereof. *P.* 1 *and p.* ¾. *Two copies almost identical. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 107 *and* 108.

1651. 20 June. Same by Alexander Freeman, as above.

Similar to *S.P. Ireland* 288, 105, as above. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 109.

1654. 7 April. Same by Samuel Richardson, of Islington, gentleman.

He is the assignee of the share of £125 in the Irish adventure owned by Nathaniel Anderson, of Cowley, Middlesex, clerk. The lot for this has fallen in Eastmeath, in the barony of Deece. He assigns his share to Charles Doe, citizen and goldsmith of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., as above. Endd. Ibid.* 110.

3 May. Same by Charles Doe.

Assigning his lot (*see foregoing*) to Philip Tandy, of Westminster, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as above. Endd. Ibid.* 111.

1651. 30 July. Same by Nathaniel Anderson, of Cowley, Middlesex, clerk.

Assigning to Samuel Richardson, of Westminster, his share in the Irish venture of £125. It is assigned in return for the grant to Anderson by Richardson of the manors of Penn, Ipstow and Sanderson [Saunderton ?] in Bucks. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 112.

165⁰⁄₁. 20 March. Memorandum of Agreement between Samuel Richardson, of Gravel Lane, Middlesex, and Nathaniel Anderson, of Monks' Risborough, in Bucks.

Its effect is that Richardson will, in return for certain bills for £125 lent to reduce the rebels in Ireland, before 20 Sept. next convey the manors of Pen, Ipstow and Sanderden [Saunderton ?] to Anderson. *Other details. P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the parties, before witnesses. Ibid.* 113.

1650. 19 Nov. Certificate of Thomas Andrewes, Lord Mayor of London.

That Nathaniel Anderson of Cowley, clerk, advanced £100 for the Irish adventure in 1642. *P.* ⅔. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 114.

1650.

15 March. Certificate by Samuel Avery.

That Nathaniel Anderson, of Poultry, London, clerk, who is the same as the above, subscribed £25 to the Irish venture. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Avery. *On back of foregoing.* *S.P. Ireland* 288, 114*a*.

Memorandum by Wm. Tibbes.

John Honnor, of "the parish of Paul's, Covent Garden," painter-stainer, by his last will, dated 28 April and proved 24 May, 1653, bequeathed to Henry Honnor, his eldest son, two parts of the lands allotted him for his subscription for Ireland and the third part thereof to his son, John Honnor. *P.* ½. *Examined by* Wm. Tibbes, *the Clerk attending the Committee appointed for satisfying the adventurers for lands in Ireland. Endd. Ibid.* 115.

1642. 20 April. 13 July. 19 July (2). Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, £200, £100 and £150 paid in by John Honnor, of "St. Martin's in the Fields." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 116–7–8 *and* 120.

1643. 19 July. 13 Oct. 30 Dec. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £50 paid in by the same. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 119, 121 *and* 122.

1646. 17 April (3). Three receipts by the same for £500, £50 and £50 paid in by Gregory Clement, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½, *endd. Ibid.* 123, 125 *and* 126.

1648. 15 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers appointed by an ordinance of Parliament, dated 13 Nov., 1647, for £300 paid in by John Bridges, of the borough of Warwick, for a fourth part of the £1,200 adventured by Sir Thomas Barrington for lands in Ireland. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by* Avery and Andrews.[1] *Ibid.* 124.

1642. 26 March. 18 July Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,300, £350 and £350 advanced by Clement, as above. *Each p.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 127–9.

19 July. Note as to the sums paid in by Clement.

1653. 21 June. He paid in [apparently] £2,500 before the order of July 14, 1643, which under that order was doubled and became £5,000 [?].

When paying in the last £500 of the £2,500 he subscribed in a book kept for the purpose by the Clerk to the Treasurers with a view to having his lands in Munster.

He also paid in £50 (doubled under the order of July, 1643) to have a house in the City and Corporation of Limerick.

He paid the same for a similar privilege in the City and Corporation of Waterford. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Clement. *Ibid.* 130.

(1) This is the first receipt in this volume (*S.P. Ireland* 288) given by the Treasurers under this order.

1653.

Short Notes on the Subscriptions at Grocers' Hall by Sir Edward Scott, Robert Scott and Mr. Western. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$. *S.P. Ireland* 288, 131.

1642.
1 April.
3 June.
8 July.
1643.
13 March.

Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Walmesley of Great Kimbell (Great Kimble St. Nicholas), in Bucks. *Three p.* $\frac{1}{4}$ *each, and one p.* $\frac{1}{6}$. *Ibid.* 132–4 *and* 134*a*.

1642.
26 April.
1 July.
26 Sep.
6 Dec.

Four receipts of Walter White, Sheriff of Devonshire, each for £6 5*s*. from John Sowdon, of Broad Clist, in Devonshire. *P.* 1. *All on one page. Endd. Ibid.* 135.

1654.
26 April.

Assignment by Throckmorton Trotman, of London, merchant.

I paid in £250 under different ordinances for the Irish adventure in April and July, 1642, and February, 164$\frac{6}{7}$. Thomas Webster, inn-holder, of St. Martins-in-the-Fields, subscribed £62 10*s*. for the same in April and July, 1642, and July, 1643. The lot for this he assigned to me by deed-poll of 16 September last. I have drawn in barony of Morgallion, co. Meath, and my lot is increased by the Commissioners to the value of £625. I assign by bargain and sale of £100 worth of this to Thomas Pidcock, of Westminster, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 136.

1642.
19 April.
16 July
164$\frac{6}{7}$.
26 Feb.

Three receipts from Trotman, respectively for £50, £150 and £50.

The first two by Andrews and Halstead and by Andrews and Warner as receivers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament; the third by Kendrick and Avery as receivers under the ordinance of 14 July, 1653. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Ibid.* 137–8–9.

1654.
26 April.

Indenture of Agreement made between Throckmorton Trotman and John Bligh, of London, linen-draper.

Recitals as in the foregoing, No. 136. Trotman for consideration assigns by bargain and sale £212 10*s*. of his lot in Irish land to John Bligh. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Trotman *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 140.

165$\frac{4}{5}$.
10 Jan.

Assignment by Simon Dring, of London, ironmonger.

The Commissioners of Claims have allowed him a £100 lot as assignee of Henry "Faldo," of London, haberdasher. The lot has fallen in north-east quarter, No. 1 of the barony of O'Neilland, co. Armagh. He assigns this by bargain and sale to Wm. Collins, citizen and woodmonger, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

164½.

23 March. 1642. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Henry "Faldow," for £75 and £25. *Each p.* ½ *and each endorsed with an assignment dated* 22*nd April,* 1644, *by* Faldo to Dring of his lot. *The endorsements signed by* Faldo, *and sealed and delivered in the presence of witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 288, 142 *and* 143.

165⅘. 10 Jan. Assignment by Robert Dring.

Assigning his lot of £100 drawn in the "north-east quarter No. 1" of O'Neilland, co. Armagh, to John Godfrey, of London, mercer. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 144.

1642. 29 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 and £25, from Robert Dring. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 145 *and* 146.

25 March. 4 April. 8 and 16 July. 1643. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Elizabeth Bradshaw, of St. Katherine's, near the Tower, widow. *Each p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 147–8–9 *and* 150.

1647–8. 12 Jan. Power by Elizabeth Bradshaw, as above, to Hugh Nettleship, of London, salter.

To subscribe a full fourth part of her first adventure of £50. She is not able to subscribe the sum and so may not be able to participate in the benefits of the ordinances of July 14, 1643, and 13 Nov., 1647, which promised a double lot to those who should put in a full fourth part of their first adventure within a certain time. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Elizabeth Bradshaw, *with her mark, before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 151.

1642-1648. Six receipts for money from Hugh Nettleship, of London, salter.

(1) 1642, 25 March, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £7 10*s.*
(2) 1642, 4 April, by same for £30.
(3) 1642, 8 July, by same for £37 10*s.*
(4) 1642, 16 July, by same for £75.
(5) 1647, 20 Dec., by the Treasurers under the ordinance of 14 July. 1643, for £37 10*s.*
(6) 164⅞, 15 Jan., by the Treasurers under the ordinance of 13 Nov., 1647, for £12 10*s.*

Each about p. ⅔. *All endd.*: "Entered at Mr. Armyr[?]e's in Old Jury." *Ibid.* 152–7.

1642. 19 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from George Buller, of Shillingham, in Cornwall, member of the House of Commons, for £450 and £150. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 158 *and* 159.

1653.

27 June. Deposition by Francis Hervey, of the Middle Temple.

Mary Buller is the only daughter and heir of George Buller, late of Shillingham, in Cornwall. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated before* Edward Monke, *one of the Masters in Chancery in Ordinary. S.P. Ireland* 288, 160.

1642. 25 March. 18 July. Two receipts, for £37 10*s.* and £112 10*s.*, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from Wm. Molins, "innkeeper, of London."
Both p. ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 161 *and* 162.

1651. 4 Jan. Assignment by Thomas Player, or Plaier, of London, Esq.
He assigns two bills value £200 for the Irish adventure to Wm. Molins, "of Clapham, in Surrey." *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 163.

1642. 25 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 and £150, from Thos. Player, of London, "haberdasher." *P.* ½ *and p.* 1½. *Ibid.* 164 *and* 165.

26 March. 16 and 19 July. Three receipts by the same for £25, £25 and £50 from Richard Vernon, of London, pewterer. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 166–7–8.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the same for £150 and £150 from Richard Dawes, pewterer. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 169 *and* 170.

1653. 10 July. From my house in the Old Change. Thos. Archard to Colonel Fenton.
Praying for consideration by the Committee for the Adventurers. He has not been able to pay in £16 13*s.* 4*d.*, which should have been paid already and begs that it be allowed as paid. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 171.

1642. 16 and 24 March. 28 June. 19 July. Four receipts by the same for £5, £20, £25 and £50 from Thomas Orchard or Archerd, of London, pewterer and chandler. *All p.* ⅔. *One endd. Ibid.* 173–4–5–6.

1643. 29 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £8 6*s.* 8*d.* from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 172.

1642. 29 April. 13 July. Two receipts by the Receivers under the arrangement between King and Parliament for £25 and £75 from Ellis Good, of London, horner. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔. *One endd. Ibid.* 177 *and* 178.

1642.
8 Oct.
1643.
7 Jan.
9 April.
5 July.

Four receipts by same, each for £25, from Joseph Smith, of the parish of Great St. Helen's, London. *P.* ½ *and p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 288, 179–182.

1653-4.
July.

Assignment by Elizabeth Owner, widow and executrix of Alderman Edward Owner, of Gt. Yarmouth.

She assigns receipts for £600 belonging to her late husband, Edward Owner, to the Bailiffs, aldermen and burgesses of Great Yarmouth. These sums were formerly invested in the Irish adventure. She gives the Bailiffs, &c., and their deputy, John Raynes, of London, power to draw for this lot. Ratification clause. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 183.

1642.
26 March.
14 July.

Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between King and Parliament, respectively for £150 and £450, from Edward Owner, burgess of the present Parliament, as agent for the "incorporation" of the Bailiffs, aldermen and burgesses of Great Yarmouth. *Ibid.* 184 *and* 185.

26 March.
13 July.

Two receipts from the same, each for £50, from Edward Litemaker. *P.* ⅔; *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 186.

1650.
10 Dec.

Assignment of Edward Litemaker, or Lightmaker, citizen and baker of London.

Assigning his adventure of £100 for Ireland to Thomas Walley, of Whitechapel, Middlesex, clerk. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 187.

1653.
7 Dec.

Assignment by Anthony Official, merchant, of Gt. Yarmouth, son and heir of Wm. Official, of the same.

His lot of £600, belongs to Nicholas Cutting, George Spilman, Augustine Thrower, Christopher Steygould, Thos. Dunn, Wm. Bridge, Timothy Official and himself, Richard Bunning, Edward Downing, Samuel Alexander, John Balderston, William Burton, Peter Barrett, Stephen Puckle, William Harris, Wm. Johnson, Robert Washington, John Shephard, Simon Clarke and Abraham Halstead. As trustee under his father's will he assigns to them their several proportions [*figures given*]. *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *&c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 188.

1642.
20 April.
19 July.

Two receipts, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, respectively for £150 and £450, from Wm. Official, of Great Yarmouth, Norfolk. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 189 *and* 190.

1654.

19 July. Certificates by [?] John Raynes, of London, merchant.

He has seen and read the will of Abraham Halsted, of Rotterdam, merchant, dated 5 April, 1651. It contains no gift of his share in the Irish adventure to anyone. It was proved in London, 2 May, 1651.

Abraham Halsted, of London, is the eldest son and heir of the above. *P.* ½, *in two paragraphs. The last alone is signed. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 191.

Note that a £600 Share [drawn by] Wm. Official, was divided into two parts and drawn as follows:—

List of the shares drawn.

(1) In the barony of English, King's Co., by—

Robert Washington, of Leeds, merchant.
Wm. Johnson, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, same.
Symon Clarke, of London, same.
Stephen Puckle, of East Smithfield, London, merchant.
The son and heir of Abraham Halstead (Halsted), of Rotterdam, merchant.
John Shepheard and Wm. Harris, of Rotterdam, merchants.

(2) In the barony of Fortulla [Fartulla] in Westmeath by—

Nicholas Cutting, of Great Yarmouth, in Norfolk, woollen draper.
William Burton, of the same, merchant.
Wm. Bridge, of the same, preacher of the word.
Richard Bunningt [? Bunning], of Denton, Norfolk, merchant.
Edward Downing, of Wrentham, in Suffolk, merchant.
Anthony and Timothy Official, of Yarmouth, merchants.
Augustine Thrower and George Spilman, of same, same.
Christopher Steygold (Steygould), of the same, apothecary.
Thomas Dunne, of same, merchant.
Samuel Alexander, of Norwich, worsted weaver.
John Balderston, of same, same.

Abraham Barnaby, of London, salter, drew in Iffa and Offa. *P.* ½. *Addressed to* Mr. Anthony Official, merchant, in Rotterdam. *The sums drawn by each shareholder are given. Ibid.* 192.

1653. 17 Oct. Great Yarmouth. Extract by Nathaniel Ashby and Isaac Preston, Bailiffs of Great Yarmouth, from the will of Wm. Official, deceased.

He bequeaths his share in the Irish adventure in equal parts to his sons, Anthony and Timothy.

P. ½. *Ibid.* 193. *To back of which is attached—*

Undertaking given by John Raynes.

To make good the claim of Symon Clarke, Wm. Harris and others (*see next entry*) to the £300 which is part of the £600 subscribed by Wm. Official. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 194.

1653.

7 Oct. Power from Symon Clark, John Shepard, Wm. Harris, Stephen Puckle, Wm. Johnson, Robert Washington and Abraham Halstead.

To John Raynes, of London, merchant, to draw a lot for them for province, county and barony. Their whole interest is £300. Ratification clause. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by the above.* Clarke *signs for* Harris and Shepard, and Dorcos [Dorcas?] Halstead for her son Abraham. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 195.

164¾. 30 Jan. Acknowledgment by Wm. Official.

He has paid £600 into the Chamber of London for the Irish adventure; but acknowledges that though it stands in his name it belongs to the following merchants of Rotterdam:—Puckle, Harris, Johnson, Washington, Shephard, Clark and Halstead. *P.* 1. *Signed and witnessed. Endd. Ibid.* 196.

1642. 13 July. 164⅔. 26 March. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £12 10*s.*, from Wm. Seale. *In all, p.* , *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 197.

1653. 28 June. Certificate by John King, Edmund Pyke and Wm. Batt.

Nathaniel Adams is the reputed son of Robert Adams. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 198.

1642. 22 March. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, respectively for £5, £20 and £75, from Robert Adams, of London, mariner. *Each p.* ⅔. *The last endd. Ibid.* 199, 200 *and* 201.

28 March. 31 March. 24 June. 19 July. Four receipts by the same, in all for £200, from Robert Beard, of "Thoydon Gernon" [Theydon Garnon], in Essex, tanner. In the receipt of 24 June, Beard is described as of Cooper Sale, in Essex. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 202–3–4–5.

10 March. 22 March. 29 March. 18 July. 19 July. Four receipts by the same, in all for £150, from John King, of Wapping—also described as of London—haberdasher. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 206–7–8–9.

25 March. 6 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £100, from Anne Cheyney, in Cree church parish (St. Katherine Cree), in London, widow. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 210–11.

25 March. 6 July. Two receipts, in all for £100, by the same from John Allen, clerk. *Each p.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 212 *and* 213.

1654.

16 May. Undertaking by Richard Loton, of Whitechapel, *alias* Mary Matfellon, and Thomas Whalley, or Walley, of the same, clerk.

Having been allowed £100 each by the Committee of Claims, they will accept one certificate from the Committee for all he meadow or arable land alloted to them; and also for the £50 assigned them by Fulke Wormelayton, the £412 10*s.* assigned them by Richard and Cornelius Mountney, and the £100 assigned them by and from Wm. Graves. All these lots have fallen in the barony of Decies, in Waterford. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Loton and Walley, *&c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 288, 214.

1642. 28 March. 20 April. 25 Sep. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Richard Loton (or Lotton), of London, brewer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 215–7.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £50, from Henry Coles. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 218.

1649. 15 Dec. Assignment by Edward Lucas, citizen and plasterer of London.

Assigning his share of £50 in the Irish adventure to Henry Coles, citizen and dyer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 219.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts, in all for £50, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Edward Lucas, of London, plasterer. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 220 *and* 221.

1 April. 18 June. 13 July. Three receipts by the same, in all for £100, from Edmund Pyke, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 222, 223 *and* 223*a.*

1646. 5 June. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

James Alford, citizen and grocer of London, by his will dated 2 Dec., 1645, and proved 5 June, 1646, bequeathed to his three children, John, James-Alfred and Judith, £100 each, providing that his investment of £50 and other sums in the Irish adventure should be regarded as part of that sum of £300.

Tibbs has examined this will as clerk attending the Committee for satisfying adventurers. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed. Ibid.* 224.

1642. 5 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from James Alford, of London, grocer, and Symon Burton, of the same, stationer. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 225-6.

1643.

2 May. Indenture of Agreement between Edward Gittings, of London, citizen and painter-stainer, and Ithiell Smart, of the same, clerk.

Gittings assigns the £100 adventured by him for Ireland on 19 April, 1642, to Smart. He empowers Smart to draw for it, and requests the Receivers to treat Smart accordingly. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Parchment; the top indented in curves, as usual in deeds of the time. Signed, &c., by Gittings before witnesses. Endorsed with a note by Gittings that Smart left the* £100 *in Gittings' hands for disposal in the service of Ireland and the acquittance to be made in trust for his use. S.P. Ireland* 288, 227.

1642. 31 March. 18 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Wm. Babb, of Wapping, feltmaker. *The last endd. Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 228–30.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £100, from John Lee, saddler. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 231.

1647. 9 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 from John Lee aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 232.

1642. 30 June. 18 July. Two receipts, in all for £450, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from William Lane, of Lewes, in Sussex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 233 *and* 234.

29 March. Receipt by Giles Garton, Sheriff of Sussex, for £150 from Lane, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 233*a*.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts, in all for £50, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from Joseph Biggs, clerk. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 235.

Same. Two of same, in all for £100, by same, from William Sherlock. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 236.

19 July. Receipt by same for £750 from John Gunning, through Gilbert Harrison. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 237.

24 May. Receipt by the same for £250 from the Worshipful Richard Balman and Robert Yeamans, Sheriffs of the City and County of Bristol, by the hands of Wm. Edwards, for a fourth of the sums subscribed for Ireland by John Gunning or Goninge of Bristol. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 238.

1654.

10 June. Assignment by Osmond Colchester, of Wapping, merchant tailor.

Assigning his adventure of £31 5*s.* for Ireland to Francis Ellis, of Great Kimble, Bucks, for good consideration. His lot has fallen in the barony of Slievemargie, Queen's County. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 240.

1642. 24 March. 19 July. Two receipts for £25 and £12 10*s.* by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Colchester as above. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 240 *and* 242.

1643. 2 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £6 5*s.* from the same. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 241.

1642. 26 March. 13 July. Two receipts, in all for £50, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from William Blackburrow, leatherseller. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 243.

30 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the same—each receipt for £100. One from Richard Leader and Company, the other from Richard and David Leader, both of London. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 244 *and* 245.

Note by Wm. Tibbs.

John Biscoe, of the parish of St. Margaret, Westminster, by his will, dated 3 Oct., 1644, and proved 7 Mar., 164$\frac{4}{5}$, bequeathed his share and interest in the Irish adventure to his son, Joseph Biscoe. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 246.

1643. 15 Aug. 20 Sep. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from John Biscoe, of Westminster, or of London, apothecary. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 247–8.

1642. 20 April. 12 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Biscoe, as aforesaid. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 249–50.

19 April. 14 July. 10 Oct. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 10 Jan. Four receipts by same, in all for £600, from Capt. or Colonel Browne and others. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *or p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 251–4.

1640. 23 June. 19 July. Two receipts by the same, for £75 and £150, from John Hurst, of London, cook. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 255 *and* 256.

1652. 18 March. Assignment by William Hill, of Guildford, in Surrey, mercer.

He is executor of the will of Francis Peck, of the same, clerk, deceased. Peck and Hill subscribed £50 to the Irish adventure.

1652.

Peck is since dead. Hill assigns his and Peck's share to Francis Parsons, citizen and merchant tailor, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 257.

19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Francis Peck, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 258 *and* 259.

26 March. 30 April. 18 and 19 July. Four receipts by the same, in all for £900, from Richard Clutterbuck, of London, mercer. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$ *and endd. Ibid.* 260–263.

1653. 28 June. Declaration by Francis Parsons, or Parsons, of London, merchant tailor, and Roger Stackhouse of same, citizen and merchant tailor.

They subscribed respectively £40 and £20 to a common share of £60 in the Irish adventure. Parson assigns his share to Stackhouse. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 264.

1654. 19 Aug. Assignment by Roger Stackhouse.

He assigns his £20 share, which has fallen in the barony of Massereene, to Sir John Clotworthy. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 265.

1642. 28 March. 18 June. 3 Oct. 24 Dec. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £60, from Francis Pearson, Person, or Parson, of London, merchant tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 266–9.

1653. 15 Sept. Assignment by Thomas Webster, of St. Martin's in the Fields, Middlesex, inn-holder.

For £62 10*s.* received he assigns his share of £62 10*s.* in the Irish adventure to Throckmorton Trotman, of London, merchant. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 270.

1642. 20 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 from Wm. Grantham and Thomas Webster. *P.* 1. *Underwritten with assignment, dated* 21 *July,* 1642, *by Wm. Grantham of his half of this share to Webster. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 271.

19 July. Two receipts by same for £25 and £12 10*s.* from Webster, as above [*No.* 270]. *One underwritten with a note by Webster assigning the share of* £12 10*s. to Wm. Grantham. Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 273 *and* 275.

1643. 14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the ordinance of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.* from Webster, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 272.

1643.

14 July. Receipt by same for £6 5*s.* from Wm. Grantham, "Ironmonger, of St. Martins in the Fields." *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 288, 274.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £37 10*s.*, from Wm. Grantham, "of the Strand, ironmonger." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 276.

1653. June 28. Certificate by Thos. Webster.

That Samuel Morris, citizen and ironmonger, of London, married with Sarah Grantham, the sole daughter and heir of Wm. Grantham, deceased. *P.* ¼. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 277.

1642. 29 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from Sir John Honywood, Kt., High Sheriff of Kent, by the hands of his brother Mr. Benony Honywood, which is part of £200 subscribed by Sir Edward Scott, K.B., of Smeeth, in Kent; also for £50 out of £200 subscribed by Robt. Scott, Esq., of Smeeth; also £75 out of £300 subscribed by Thos. Westrowe, of Mersham, in the same county. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 278.

Certificate of Wm. Tibbes.

Thomas Westrowe, of Twickenham, Middlesex, did, in his last will, dated 16 Sept., 1653, and proved at Westminster, 20 January, 165¾, bequeath his share in the Irish adventure to his son Norton, "hoping that if he ever come to it he will not only show kindness to the parties that formerly owned that land by seeing them provided for in a comfortable way, but will be a servant to the good of that whole people as far as they may be capable of it, considering the great wrath that has passed on them from the Lord already, and that they are one flesh with us, and that our flesh hath that in it which deserves as great a judgment." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 279.

1642. 31 March. June 4. Sep. 6. Nov. 28. Four Receipts by [Sir] John Honywood, Sheriff of Kent, each for £50, from Sir Edward Scott, Kt., K.B. *Pp.* 1¼, *on same page. Ibid.* 280.

1653. 6 Aug. Assignment by Robert Scott.

He assigns to his son Edward, late of Smeeth and now of Christchurch, Canterbury, £125 out of his £200 share in the Irish adventure. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 281.

8 Aug. Further Assignment by Same.

He assigns £25 worth of his share to Peter Godfrey, of Lydd, in Kent, who contributed this share of Scott's adventure of £200. Covenant as in foregoing. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 282.

Same. Further Assignment by Same.

Assigning £25 worth of his share to Lambert Godfrey, formerly of Selling, but now of Maidstone, in Kent, who joined for that sum in Scott's adventure. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 283.

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8 Aug. Same by Same.

Assigning £25 of his share to Thomas Scott, of Canterbury, under circumstances and conditions similar to foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 288, 284.

1642. 20 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, of £175 from Sir John Honywood, Sheriff of Kent, being part of subscriptions taken there by him for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½, *to which is attached—*

Certificate by [Sir] John Honywood. That the £175 paid in was subscribed by Sir Edward Scott (£50), Robert Scott (£50) and Thomas Westrowe. The remainder of the respective shares of £200, £200 and £300 have been paid to him by these persons. Dated 1 April, 1652. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 285.

24 June. Receipt by same Treasurers for same sum as in foregoing, from Sir John Honywood. *P.* ½, *to which is attached*—certificate in similar sense to the foregoing, dated 1 April, 1652. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 286.

6 Sep. Receipt by the same Treasurers for £50 paid by Robert Scott, being the third part of his adventure. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 287.

6 Sep. Receipt by same for £75 from Thomas Westrowe, of [Mersham], in Kent, being the third part of his share of £300, by the hands of the Sheriff. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 288.

Same. Same for £50 from Edward Scott through the hands of Sir John Honywood. *P.* ½, *with a certificate by* Sir John Honywood that it is the third part payment of his share of £200, dated 1 April, 1652. *In all, p.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 289.

31 March. 14 June. 6 Sep. 1 Dec. Four of same by Sir John Honywood, each for £75, from Thomas Westrowe. *Pp.* 1¼, *on same sheet. Ibid.* 290.

1653. 30 June. Assignment by Henry Orton, of London, eldest son and heir of Nicholas Orton, late of London, clothworker, deceased, and executor of his will.

Nicholas Orton subscribed £375 for the Irish adventure, and this sum is allowed by the Committee of Claims for land in Ireland. The value of this investment was doubled by the ordinance of Parliament of July 14, 1643, and the lot therefor has fallen in the barony of Cullenagh, Queen's Co. Henry Orton assigns this adventure to Thomas Juxon, citizen and merchant tailor of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 291.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

That Nicholas Orton, of St. Leonards, Shoreditch, by his last will dated 20 Aug., 1650, bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to his three sons, Henry, John and Nicholas, "equally to be divided between part and part alike," with right of survivorship in case any of them died without heirs. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 292.

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10 March. Certificate by Alderman Thos. Andrewes, Treasurer amongst others, at the Guildhall, for the Irish adventure.

Nicholas Orton paid in £75 on March 28, 1642. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 288, 292*a*.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £225 paid in by Orton. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 292*c*.

1643. 29 Aug. 6 Nov. 1644. 3 Aug. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £25, from the same. *P.* ½, *p.* ½ *and p.* ½. *Ibid.* 292*b*, 293 *and* 294.

1642. 2 April. 20 June. 4 July. Three receipts, in all for £1,200, from Sir Thomas Barrington, Kt. and Bt., one of the members of the House of Commons, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament. *Each p.* ⅔, *and endd. Ibid.* 295–6–7.

2 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Thomas Harris, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 298–9.

1651. 27 Nov. Assignment by Thomas Harris and Edward Whalley, Commissary-General of the Army under Lord General Cromwell.

By a former deed of assignment Harris assigned to Whalley for £33 6*s.* 8*d.* his share of £100 in the Irish adventure, without any trust for Harris. They now agree to, and Whalley and Harris, at Whalley's desire, assign this share to Henry Whalley, now Judge Advocate of General Cromwell's army. *P.* ⅔. *Signed on back. Endd. Ibid.* 300.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200 paid in by Maximilian Bard. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 301.

1650. 2 May. Assignment by Maximilian Bard, of London, girdler.

For 5*s.* he assigns his lot of £200 in the Irish adventure to Henry Whalley. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 302.

1651. 22 Nov. Same by Richard Sherbrooke and Thos. Cole, citizens and merchant tailors of London.

They paid in £150 in 1646 for the Irish adventure. This money was paid in by Wm. Hawkins and the names of Sherbrooke and Cole were used in trust for Wm. Hawkins. For 5*s.* they assign these sums to Henry Whalley; provided that this assignment shall not operate to convey their shares of £300 each, which they bought together with Sir John Evelyn, Kt., William Hitchcock and William Henman. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 303.

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24 April. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £75, one from Sherbrooke, the other from Cole. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *both endd. S.P. Ireland* 288, 304 *and* 305.

Certificate by John Anderson, of Harrow, Middlesex.

(1) He has perused the last will of Samuel Edlin, of Pinner, Middlesex. He made no bequest in it of his Irish adventure. His only son is Samuel Edlin. Will proved 7 April, 1651.

(2) That Samuel Edlin, student of Magdalene College in Cambridge, is the son and heir of the above-named Edlin. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 306.

1642. April 4. 19 July. Four receipts, in all for £100, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from Samuel Edlin, of Pinner, Middlesex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 307, 307*a*, 308, 309.

24 April. 2 and 19 July. Three receipts, in all for £200, by the same, from William and John Arnold. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 310, 311 *and* 312.

31 March. 18 July. Two receipts, each for £100, by the same, from Michael Babington, of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 313 *and* 314.

18 April. 18 July. 11 Oct. 1643. 18 March. Four Receipts, each for £5, by the same, from John and Richard Smith, of London, plasterers. *Ibid.* 315–318.

1652. 17 May. Assignment by John Houghton, citizen and fishmonger of London.

He assigns his lot of £10 to Samuel Dabbes, citizen and grocer, of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 1.

1645. 28 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643 for £10 paid in by Houghton. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 2.

1642. 24 March. 21 June. 20 Sep. 20 Dec. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £25, from Mathew Ower, of London, grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 3–6.

1648. 14 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers of Nov., 1647, for £100 paid in by Thomas Pydcock, messenger to the Committee at Derby House, for $\frac{1}{4}$ of the sum formerly advanced by Henry Box, of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 7.

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24 Sep. Assignment by Benjamin Woodnoth.

William Harrison, of Staple Inn, formerly advanced £100 in the Irish adventure. He is since dead, and John Harrison, of Upper Eche, in Woodnesborough, in Kent, his only son and heir, assigned Woodnoth the lot which John Harrison had inherited from his father. Woodnoth assigns this share to John Wheatley, of London, gent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 8.

1642. 6 April. 6 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Harrison, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 9, 11 *and* 12.

1653. 28 June. Certificate by Wodenoth [or Woodnoth].

That John Harrison, as above, is the son and heir of Wm. Harrison. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 10.

165⅔. 10 Feb. Assignment by John Harrison to Woodnoth.

Assigning him the above shares for £100. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 13.

1654. 23 July. Certificate by James Blatt and John Amyes, of London.

Of the £200 allotted jointly to them £133 6*s.* 8*d.* belongs to Blatt, and £66 13*s.* 4*d.* to Amyes. They exchange their shares by assignment, and agree to take certificates for the same. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 14.

1642. 28 March. 8 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from James and Edmond Blatt and John Amyes. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 15–18.

8 Oct. 1643. 2 Jan. 16⁴⁹⁄₅₀. 11 Jan. Assignment by Edmond Blatt, of Barking, tanner.

Assigning his share in the above to John Blatt and Amyes. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 19.

1642. 31 April. 19 July. 1647. 20 Dec. Three receipts, the earlier two by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament and the latest by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £75, £200 and £200, from Robert Garland, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 20, 22 *and* 23*a*, *the last two endd. with* two notes by Robert Garland :—

(1) That one-fourth of his share of £200 belongs to John Harper, of London, fishmonger.

(2) That Roger Garland, of Wapping, mariner, is to have an eighth part of the £200.

To one of these notes is added a certificate, attached, dated 28 June, 1653, by Benjamin Whetcombe, to the effect that Mary Garland is the widow of Robert, as above, and has four children, Robert (the eldest), Roger, John and Elizabeth.

1644. 15 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 paid in by Harper, as above. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 21.

1642. 27 Sept. Indenture of agreement between Robert Garland and Harper.

Of the £400 invested in Garland's name £300 belongs to

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him, and £100 to Harper. Garland covenants to make over one fourth of the land allotted on this share to Parker. They agree to share losses in the same proportion. *P.* 1. *Parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses, by* Garland. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 24.

1654. Assignment by Harper.

13 May. Assigning his lot of £125, which has fallen in the barony of Decies, to Wm. Shippey, citizen and weaver, of London, and the lands allotted upon it. Usual covenants, but the covenant for further assurance shall not involve assignor in an obligation to travel beyond London and Westminster.[1] *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 25.

19 Aug. Assignment by Roger Garland, of Stepney.

Assigning his £50 share to Robert Garland, of London, merchant, son and heir of the late Robert and of Mary Garland. An earlier and similar deed of assignment to Mary is lost. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 26.

1653. Same.

31 Aug. Assigning his lot, as above, to Mary Garland, relict of Robert. *P.* ½ (*possibly the assignmeut referred to in the foregoing*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 27.

16 June. Certificate by Henry Colbron.

That £200 of the £675 advanced in 1642 by Colbron, Christopher Meredith, Nicholas Guy and Mr. Rutton, was the money of Christopher.

Christopher bequeathed it to no one, but made his daughter Mary and her husband Richard Harlakenden legatees for all property not particularly given. By this gift Harlakenden and his wife have a right to the said sums. *P.* ⅔. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 28.

165⅘. Assignment by Henry Colbron, citizen and scrivener of London.

30 Jan. The sum of £75 was allowed to him and Thomas Davis by the Committee of Claims out of the £675 subscribed by Colbron and Nicholas Gye, Matthias Rutton and Christopher Meredith. Of this Colbron owned £25 and Davis £50; but under Davis's will Colbron has power to dispose of Davis' share. He accordingly assigns it for £30 to Wm. Heather, of St. Saviour's, Southwark, tailor. It has fallen in the barony of Ikerkin [Ikerrin], Co. Tipperary. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 29.

1654. Assignment by Henry Colbron.

30 Nov. For £12 10*s.* he assigns his lot of £25, which has fallen in the barony of Ikerrin, to Heather, as aforesaid. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 30.

About Same? Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Thos. Davis, dated 11 Aug., 1654, gave his Irish adventure to his cousin, Henry Colbron, to be sold at the current rate. The sum so raised was to be part of Davis' personal estate and

[1] A reservation constantly made in these deeds and not repeated in the Calendar.

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to be paid by Colbron to Davis', executor, towards the performance of his will. The will was proved 20 Jan., 165$\frac{4}{5}$. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 31.

Same. Deposition by Colbron, of the parish of St. Antholin, London.

Of the £75 allowed by the Committee of Claims, in the joint names of himself and Thomas Davis, £25 belongs to him and £50 to Davis. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed. Sworn before and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 32.

1653. Dec. 6. Assignment by Richard Harlakenden, of Gray's Inn, and Mary, his wife, daughter and heir of Christopher Meredith, of London, citizen and stationer, of part of their lot of £675.

The Committee of Claims allowed £200 to Mary as her share. This portion they assign for good consideration to Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 33.

1654. 9 Jan. Assignment by Fosson, as in foregoing.

He assigns the £200 share mentioned in foregoing for consideration to James Yates, citizen and goldsmith of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 34.

1642. 31 March. 18 April. 10 July. Three Receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, respectively for £168 15*s.*, £488 9*s.* and £17 16*s.*, from Henry Colbron, Nicholas Gye, Matthias Rutton and Christopher Merrideth [Meredith]. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 35, 36 *and* 36*a*.

1649. 26 Oct. Assignment by Matthias Rutton, of Trinity Minories [Holy Trinity, Minories], London.

He assigns his share of £200 in the adventure of Colbron & Co. (*see foregoing*) to his grandson, Mathias Rutton, second son of Thomas Rutton, of London, clerk. *P.* 1. *Parchment. Signature missing. Ibid.* 37.

1642. 20 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from William Willobey, of Wapping, merchant. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 38. *Followed by*—

1648. 20 April. Assignment by Willobey (or Willoughby).

Assigning this share to Francis Collins, citizen and skinner of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *On back of foregoing. Signed, &c., before witnesses. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 38*a*.

1653. 25 June. Certificate by Alderman Thomas Andrewes.

John Harrington, of Kelson [Kelston], in Somersetshire, adventured for Ireland £200 on the 20th of April, 1642, £50 on the 27th of May following, £50 on 25th June, and £100 on the 19th of July next following. The receipts are lost and Harrington has made oath before one of the Masters in Chancery that he has not assigned them. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 39.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Commissioners under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 from Harrington (as in foregoing). *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 40.

Certificate by Henry Clarke.

George Gipps, of "Elstone" [Aylston], Leicestershire, clerk, by his last will, dated 9 May, 1653, bequeathed his estate purchased from the estate [State] in Ireland to Deborah, his wife, and made her his executrix. *Underwritten*: Extracted from the will per Henry Clerke. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 41.

1642. 9 May. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25 and £75, from George Gipps, parson, of Aylston. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔, *one with a note that the payments were made in time, according to the new propositions for giving land in Irish measure. Endd. Ibid.* 42 *and* 43.

1654. 12 Aug. Assignment by Debora, widow of George Gippes, as above.

She assigns her lot to Wm. Almond, of London, citizen and pewterer. It has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 44.

1654. 14 Aug. Assignment by Adoniram Byfield, minister, of London.

He assigns his lot of £50 to Jeremy Rushley, citizen and salter of London. It has fallen in the barony of Stradbally. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 45.

1642. 24 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Byfield (*as in foregoing*). *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 46 *and* 47.

28 Mar. 19 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £100, from George Dover, of London, apothecary. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 48 *and* 49.

1643. 8 Aug. 7 Sep. 6 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from the same. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 50–52.

1654. 30 Aug. Agreement by Robert Crowley and Richard Tyler.

They invested £125 a-piece in the Irish adventure; and these sums are severally allowed by the Committee of Claims and the lot for them has fallen in the barony of Ileagh. They desire to draw together and agree to accept a joint lot. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Crowley and Tyler, *in the presence of witnesses. Ibid.* 53.

1642. 22 and 29 March. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 from Robert Crowley, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 54–57.

15 July. 1 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers appointed under the Ordinance of Parliament,[1] printed 1 Dec., 1647, for £25, from the same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 59.

1647. 13 Dec. 18 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 58.

(1) This is the order of 13 Nov., 1647; *see* above, *p.* 10 note. The Treasurers under it are hereinafter called "The Treasurers of Dec., 1647."

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21 April. Agreement made by Samuel Browne, of London, cutler, and Thos. Ross, citizen and tallow chandler, of London.

Ross is to have a full half of the £100 adventured by him and Browne. When the lots are drawn Browne will make an assignment accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by both parties. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 60.

27 June. 4 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £25 and £25, from Browne and Ross [as above] and Wm. Woodman. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 61 *and* 62.

14 April. 18 July. 10 Oct. Three receipts by same, each for £25, from Richard Tyler, of London, salter. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 63, 64 *and* 65.

1647. 13 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of December, 1647, for £25, from the same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 66.

18 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 from same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 67.

1654. 29 April. Assignment by Richard Littler, of London, apothecary.

Assigning his lot of £100 to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 68.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Littler, as above. *Ibid.* 69–72.

19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Edward Gittings, of London, merchant and painter-stainer. *Each p.* ⅔. *One endd.*: "Gittings assigns his lot to Ithiell Smart. Allowed to Smart 2 July, 1653." *Ibid.* 73 *and* 74.

April 30. July 19. Two receipts by same, each for £25, from Edward Storey, of London, ironmonger. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 75 *and* 76.

1655. Assignment by Thos. Roe, of London, girdler.

1 May. Assigning his lot of £50, allowed by the Committee of Claims, and fallen in the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, to Edward Storey, of London, citizen and ironmonger, both for land and for profitable buildings thereon. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 77.

1642. April 30. July 19. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £25, from Thomas Roe, of London, girdler. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 289, 78 *and* 79.

1654. April 10. Assignment by Michael Meysey, of "Tooting Beake," in Surrey.

Assigning his lot of £50 allowed by the Committee of Claims and fallen in the barony of Lune to Sir Henry Tichborne (or Titchburne), of Bewley, co. Louth, knight, for consideration. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 80.

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19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £25, from Michael Measey, or Meysey, of Fenchurch Street, London. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 81 *and* 82.

4 April. 9 April. 19 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £200, from Francis Duke, of Westminster. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 83, 84 *and* 84*a*.

1653. 1 July. Certificate by Samuel Grant and by William Williams, parish clerk.

David Hoare is the lawful son of William Hoare and Elizabeth his wife, and was baptized in the parish church of St. Martin's in the Fields on 24 Feb., 1627, as appears by the parish register. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed by* Grant and Williams. *Ibid.* 85.

1642. 20 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from William Hore, of St. Martin's in the Fields. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 86 *and* 88.

1643. 31 July. Same for £6 5*s.* from same to the Treasurers of July, 1643. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 87.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £500 from Richard Vicaris, Joseph Jackson, Hugh Browne, Arthur King and Benjamin Whetcombe. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 89.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Sir Samuel Rolle, Kt., of Heanton Sackvill, Devonshire, by his last will, dated 6 Mar., 164$\frac{6}{7}$, bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to his eldest son of his last wife who should be living at the time of his decease. The executors were ordered to take the profits thereof and use them for the benefit of such son until he attained the age of 21 years.

"This will I have (by order from the Committee appointed for satisfying the adventurers for lands in Ireland by lot) searched and find on record in the prerogative office in Warwick Lane." This is a true copy. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.)*, Wm. Tibbes. *Endd.*: "Samuel Rolle, eldest son of Sir S. Rolle by his last wife Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Carew, Bt., £1,000 al[lowed]." *Ibid.* 90.

1653. 1 July. Certificate by Henry Rolle.

That Samuel Rolle, son of Sir Samuel Rolle, Kt., was the eldest son of Sir Samuel at the time of his death. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 91.

1642. 5 April. 11 July. Two Receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £250 and £750, from Sir Samuel Rolle, Kt. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 92 *and* 93.

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30 April. Receipt by the same for £300 from Sir John Dryden, Bart., M.P. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 94.

165½. 15 Mar. Certificate by Alderman Thos. Andrews, as one of the Treasurers at Guildhall, of the sums formerly advanced for Ireland.

That Sir John Dryden, on the 19th of July, 1642, paid in £300 more for the Irish adventure. He received a receipt for this. but alleges that it is lost. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.) by* Andrews. *Ibid.* 95.

165¾. 6 Feb. Assignment by Heritagh Harford of Thomas Ditton, in Surrey.

Assigning his lot of £25, which is admitted by the Committee of Claims, and is fallen in Down, to George Clarke, of London, merchant, for consideration. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1642. 16 April. 13 July. Two receipts by George Price, each for £6 5*s.*, from Harford, as part of above share. *Each p.* ½, *and signed* G. Price *vic* [*comes*] Surrey. *Ibid.* 97 *and* 98.

1643. 4 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £12 10*s.*, from Harford. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 99.

1642. 14 July. Receipt by same for £50, from Josias Tunbridge, of High Laver, in Essex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 100.

Same. Receipt by the same for £37 10*s.*, from John King, of Harlow, in Essex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 101.

Same. Same by same for same, from John Savell, of same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 102.

Same. Same by same for £25, from Wm. Thompson, of same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 103.

Same. Same by same for £25, from John Field, of Thaydon Mount [Mount Theydon], in Essex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 104.

1653. 29 June. Oath of Wm. Thompson, of Harlow, aged 53, or thereabouts.

He knew John Speller the elder, late of Harlow, in Essex, for twenty years. Speller died about two years ago. John Speller, now of Harlow, is his eldest son and heir. He also knew Edward Savell of Stansted Mountfitchett, in Essex, now deceased. Anne Savell is his daughter and sole heir. *P.* ⅔, dated and certified by Aylett. *Ibid.* 105.

1642. 14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 from John Speller, of Harlow, in Essex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 107.

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14 July. Same by same for £25, from Thos. Lyon, of Sawbridgeworth, Herts. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 108.

28 March. 18 July. Two of the same by same, each for £50, from Symon Smith, of London, tallow-chandler. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 106 *and* 109.

1649. 13 Sep. Assignment by George Foxcroft, of London, merchant.

Assigning his £100 interest in the Irish adventure to Arthur Squibb, of Westminster, gentleman. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 110.

1642. 19 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from William Webster, of Peckham, Surrey; and from the same of London, salter [the same person]. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 111 *and* 112.

1649. 14 July. Assignment by Wm. Webster, of London, salter.

Assigning his share of £100 in the Irish adventure to George Foxcroft for consideration. *P.* $\frac{5}{6}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 113.

1642. 4, 14, 15 and 25 March. 20 April. 15 July. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from John Poulstead, or Polstead, of London, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *and each endorsed with assignment of it to* Charles Harryes, of London, clothworker. *All the assignments are dated* 22 June, 1649, *and witnessed. Ibid.* 114, 115, 116, 117, 118 *and* 119.

19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same for £25 and £75 from Roger Lasinby (or Lasingby), of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 120 *and* 121.

1653. 4 July. Agreement by Richard, John Robert, Dorothy and Elizabeth Winston, and by William and Ann Smith and Mary Underwood.

They are all [except Wm. Smith] the children of Richard Winston, late of St. Stephen's, Walbrook, London, confectioner, deceased, Mary Underwood being the widow of Richard Underwood, deceased, and Anne Smith is the wife of Wm. Smith. They agree to the division amongst them in equal parts of the late Richard Winston's adventure of £200, which, by his will, dated 27 Feb., 164$\frac{6}{7}$, he devised, with his other goods, &c., to and among his children. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.)*—Elizabeth and Dorothy *signing with their marks—sealed and delivered before witnesses. Ibid.* 122.

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Certificate by Wm. Tibbes, clerk, attending the Committee for satisfying the Adventurers for land in Ireland.

He has examined the records at the prerogative office and finds that the will of Richard Winston, &c. (*as above*), dated 27 Feb., 164$\frac{6}{7}$, contained a devise as above. Extract from will given. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbes. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 123.

1642. 30 April. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Richard Winston, of London, grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 124, 125, 126 *and* 126*a*.

1654. 3 May. Assignment by the above parties [the parties to *S.P. Ireland* 289, 122 *q.v.*].

They assign the lot of Richard Winston, sen., for £200, in the barony of Decies, co. Waterford, to John Wells, of London, merchant, £28 11*s.* 5*d.* worth of their lot of £200 for good consideration. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* 1. *Signed by the parties, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 127.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 4 Feb. Agreement by the Same.

Their lot, which has fallen in the barony of Decies, shall be divided into seven equal shares. One of these shall be allotted to Wm. and Anne Smith and their heirs, &c., one to Richard Winston, one to Dorothy Winston, one to Elizabeth Winston and the remaining three by John Winston. *P.* 1. *Signed by the parties as S.P. Ireland* 289, 122, *&c., before a witness. Endd. Ibid.* 128.

6 Feb. Assignment by Mary Underwood.

She assigns her seventh share (£28 11*s.* 5*d.*) in the above lot of £200 of Richard Winston to her brother John Winston, citizen and grocer of London, in return for £17. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 129.

Same. Same by Robert Winston.

Assigns his share in the same lot of £200 to John Winston, as in foregoing, in return for £14. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 129*a*.

1654. 25 March. Assignment by Richard Darnelly, citizen and haberdasher of London.

Assigns his £100 share in the lot of Sir John Clotworthy for £1,000, which has fallen in East Meath, to John French, citizen and tallowchandler of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 130.

1653. 10 Nov. Same by Sir John Clotworthy.

Assigns £100 of his lot of £1,000 (*as in foregoing*) to Richard Darnelly (*as in foregoing*). Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 131.

1654. 25 March. Same by William Frith, grocer, and Richard Darnelly, haberdasher, citizens of London.

Sir John Clotworthy set over to them and to John French £500 worth of his lot of £1,000 in Eastmeath, in Ireland, by deed-poll bearing date 10 Nov. last. Two-thirds of this belongs to Darnelly and Frith and one-third to French. Darnelly and Frith assign their portion for good consideration to French. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 132.

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10 Nov. Assignment by Sir John Clotworthy, *as referred to in foregoing.* *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 133.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,000 from Sir John Clotworthy., Kt., M.P. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 134.

1654. Same by Sir John Clotworthy.

29 March. Assigning £400, part of his lot of £1,000 in Ireland, to Charles Doe, goldsmith, for good consideration. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 135.

3 May. Same by Charles Doe, citizen and goldsmith of London.

Assigning the £400 share he has received from Sir John Clotworthy for good consideration to Sir Thos. Wharton, Knight of the Bath. Covenants for quiet enjoyment and for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 136.

165¾. 22 Feb. Assignment by William Shepheard, or Shephard, citizen and grocer of London.

Of his lot of £50, which has fallen in East Meath, to Francis Archer, citizen and haberdasher, of London for good consideration. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 137.

Certificate by Alderman Thomas Andrews, as one of the Treasurers at the Guildhall, of money advanced for lands in Ireland.

It appears from the book of subscriptions that William "Shepherd" advanced and paid in £12 10*s.* as a quarter of his subscription of £50 on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*) *Ibid.* 138.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from the same. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 139.

1652. 30 July. Certificate by Alderman and Treasurer Andrewes.

That Robert Parsons, of Southwark, weaver, paid in £12 10*s.*, part of an adventure of £50 for land in Ireland, on the 28th of March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 140.

1642. July 2. 24 Sep. 22 Nov. Three receipts, in all for £37 10*s.*, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Robert Parsons, of St. Olaves, Southwark, weaver. *Each p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 141, 143 *and* 144.

18 July. Receipt by the same for £200 from John Thompson. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 142.

16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, High Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £10 from Sarah or Sara Best, widow, of Kingston-on-Thames, as a fourth part of her subscription for reducing the rebels in Ireland. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 149 *and* 150.

14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £10 from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 145.

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2 July. Acknowledgment by Sara Best, *as above*, that she has sold her lot for £20 to Joshua Sturmy, of Kingston-on-Thames, "righting backer." *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 289, 146.

1642. 16 April. 9 July. 14 July. Two receipts by George Price, High Sheriff of Surrey, two of them for £10, from Joshua Sturmy, of Kingston-on-Thames. *Each p.* 1 (*small*). *Ibid.* 147 *and* 148.

Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £10 from same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 151.

1653. 7 July. Assignment by John Trenchard, of Warnwell, in Dorset.

Of £450, part of his lot of £600, to John Thomson, of Great Hadham, Herts. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 152.

1642. 12 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from John Trenchard, M.P. *Each p.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 153 *and* 154.

16 July. Receipt of the same for £37 10*s.* from George Ewer, of London, fishmonger. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 155.

1652. 19 March. Certificate by Alderman and Treasurer Andrewes.

That George Ewer, *as above*, paid in £12 10*s.* for land in Ireland on the 28th of March, 1642. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 156.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. 19 Oct. 1643. Feb. 6. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas King, of London, carpenter. *Each p.* ½ *or p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 157–8–9–60.

31 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the Ordinance of July, 1643, for £16 13*s.* 4*d.* from Richard Leader, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 161.

1654. 18 Oct. Oath by Sarah Bishop, of Kingston-on-Thames, aged 30, or thereabouts.

That Ephraim Bishop, late of Kingston-on-Thames, aforesaid, mercer, the husband of deponent, died intestate, as she believes.

She got letters of administration, and Ephraim Bishop, now of Kingston-on-Thames and about nine years old, is the eldest son of the late Ephraim. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *and sworn in the presence of* John Wollaston. *Endd. Ibid.* 162.

164⅔. 4 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £10 from Ephraim Bishop. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 165.

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16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, High Sheriff of Surrey, each for £5, from the same. *P.* ½ *and p.* ⅓. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 163 *and* 164.

1653. 2 July. Oath by William Stone, of Emmanuel College, Cambridge.

Christable [Christabel] Stone, of Exeter, is dead, and that he is her eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Sworn before* John Page. *Ibid.* 166.

Same. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Christabel Stone, of Exeter, widow, in April, 1642, adventured £100 in the Irish adventure, which was paid in by the Sheriff of Exeter at the Guildhall. *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 167.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by Walter White, Sheriff of the City and County of Exeter, for £450 adventured in the Irish adventure by the Mayor, Bailiffs and Commonalty of Exeter through the hands of Thomas Boone, of Townestall [Townstall, Devon], gent. *P.* ⅓. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 168.

May. Further receipt by same for £150 received from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 168*a*.

1652. 12 Oct. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The £600 advanced in their name in the Irish adventure (*see foregoing*) does not properly belong to them but [is] in trust for Thomas Boone, of Townstall, in Devon. They assign their interest in it to him. Boone has sworn before the Mayor, &c., that the said £600 is the full amount which he subscribed to the Irish adventure, and James Marshall, merchant, of Exeter, has sworn before the same that he paid in £450 of the £600 for Boone's account. *P.* ¾. *Followed by*—

1653. 18 April. Certificate of Alderman Andrewes.

The Corporation of Exeter paid in £9,890 10*s*. for the Irish adventure for several subscriptions for which it got no particular receipts.

He believes that the aforementioned £600 advanced by Thomas Boone to have been part of this sum. *P.* ⅓ *on back of foregoing. In all, pp.* 1¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 169*a*.

2 July. Gloucester. Certificate by the Underwritten.

They certify, each for himself, that each of them for himself adventured a sum in the Irish adventure in the year 1642. These sums formed part of the adventure of the Mayor and Burgesses of the city of Gloucester. They were never doubled, nor have the investors received any recompense or satisfaction for them. The receipt for this sum has been lost by casualty and they believe that none of the sums adventured was doubled except £25 adventured by Robert Tyther, of Gloucester, gent.

List follows of sums subscribed by William Caple, Mayor of the City of Gloucester; Luke Nourse, alderman, of the same; Laurence

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Singleton, same; Thomas Pierce, of the same, gentleman; and Wm. Fowler, Robert Halford, Daniel Lysons, Thomas Lugg and William Bubb, of the same; and Thos. Pierce, for the Company of Mercers, in the same. *Underwritten with*—

Certificate by Jo[?] Dorney, a Master of Chancery.

That the above-named persons were sworn at Gloucester on 2 July, 1653, before him. *P.* ¾. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 170.

1 July. Gloucester. Power of Attorney by the Mayor and Burgesses of Gloucester.

They empower Godfrey Ellis, of Gloucester, and John Mathews, of London, to present their claim to the Commissioners appointed to receive it, with evidence in support of it; also to join with any other adventurers in one lot. They have affixed their seal. *P.* ¾. *Parchment. Seal missing. Endd. Ibid.* 171.

1652. 19 April. Certificate by the Same.

At the request of Thomas Taylor, of Gloucester, gentleman, and of Mary, his wife, administratrix of the goods, &c., of her late husband, Thomas Field, junior, late of the same, they certify that in his lifetime Field advanced £50 for the Irish adventure, which formed part of the adventure of the Mayor, &c., of Gloucester. They affix the seal of Gloucester. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.)*, Wm. Singleton, Mayor, Thos. Hill, De. Wise, Laur. Singleton and Jas. Clutterbooke, *with seal. Ibid.* 172.

1653. 3 Nov. Oath by Thomas Taylour, or Taylord, of Gloucester.

The late Thomas Field did not bequeath, devise or grant his share of £50 in the Irish adventure, and that Wm. Field, now living, is his reputed eldest son. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) and underwritten*: Sworn before me, Fra. Blomer, 3 Nov., 1653. *Ibid.* 173.

1642. 16 May. Gloucester. Copy of Covenant by the Mayor and Burgesses of Gloucester.

They recite the agreement between the King and Parliament as to steps to be taken for reducing the rebels in Ireland and the further Act of Parliament for enabling bodies politic to participate in the "Act for the speedy and effectual reducing of the rebels in his Majesty's kingdom of Ireland." Conceiving the work in hand to be a good one the persons underwritten have agreed to adventure the underwritten sums for carrying it on, and to subscribe them in the name of the Mayor and burgesses of Gloucester, each having the right to receive benefit in proportion to the amount he subscribes. They therefore agree, &c., with Wm. Caple, James Powell, Thomas Pury, Aldermen, of Gloucester, and with Luke Nurse and Thomas Pierce, and their heirs, &c., that these assignees shall have all the benefit that may arise from the sums adventured by them, the assignors; and that the adventure shall be managed and prosecuted by such persons of the common council of Gloucester as the assignees, &c., may nominate. They affix the common seal of the city of Gloucester.

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List follows of sums subscribed by—

The Mayor and Burgesses of Gloucester.
Wm. Caple, of the same, Alderman.
James Powell ,, ,,
Thomas Pury ,, ,,
Samuel Bard, of the same, doctor of physic
Luke Nurse, of the same, gent.
James Clent ,, ,,
Richard Window ,, ,,
Henry Ellis ,, ,,
Thomas Pierce ,, ,,
Thomas Field ,, ,,
Laurence Singleton ,, ,,
John Nelme ,, ,,
Robert Tyther ,, ,,
Thomas Lugge ,, ,,
Thomas Greene ,, ,,
Wm. Fowler ,, ,,
Daniel Lycense.
Gyles Greville, for the Company of Mercers in Gloucester.
William Bubb, of Gloucester, apothecary.
Anne Wood, of Brockthropp, in the same, widow.
Gyles Greville, of the same, gent.
Robert Halford ,, ,,
John Osburne ,, ,,

P. 1 (*large*). *Underwritten* (1) Examined with the original by Thomas Tayubon [?] and Hugh Richards; (2) With receipt dated 27 May, 1642, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £337 10*s.* subscribed by the above.

And endorsed with (1) Note that £337 10*s.* was paid in on May 27 and that three similar sums must be paid in on 19 Aug., 11 Nov., 1642, and on 3 Feb., 164$\frac{2}{3}$, and that these sums were so paid in by the writer, Robert Halford, and Alderman Pury; (2) Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,012 10*s.* from Alderman Thomas Pury, M.P., paid in for the Mayor and Burgesses of Exeter; (3) Note by Halford certifying copy of the agreement above and desiring it to be returned to him. *Also endd. generally. S.P. Ireland* 289, 174.

1649. Certificate by Thomas Andrews, Lord Mayor of London.

30 July. On search made this day in the book of subscriptions he finds that Thos. Pury, Alderman of Gloucester, subscribed £1,350 on the propositions for reducing the Irish rebels. The sum was paid in in two instalments on 27 May and 13 July, 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Followed by—*

Note by [Pury].

He got this certificate from Andrews for doubling Irish adventures at Gurney House. Mr. Tyther doubled his £25, but he does not think that anybody else doubled his adventure. *In all, p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 175.

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28 June. Assignment by Priscilla Moncke, widow, of Exeter.

Assigning to her niece, Elizabeth Ball, of London, her share of £100 paid to Walter White, Sheriff of Devon and Exeter, in 1642. The sum was paid in as part of the adventure of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, but the right was reserved to assignor to take the benefit thereof. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 176.

1642. 28 May. 19 July. Two receipts by Walter White, in all for £100, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, under the arrangement between the King and Parliament. *In all, p.* ½. *Ibid.* 177.

1650. 25 April. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have seen two receipts given by Walter White purporting to acknowledge that the sum of £100, received by White from Mrs. P. Moncke, was paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. They certify that this £100 was not of right theirs, but that Mrs. Moncke may dispose of it. They affix their seal. *P.* ½, *with seal. Ibid.* 178.

1652. 17 April. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Upon search in the book of subscriptions he finds that Thos. Freeman, Thomas Lenthall and James Clark, on 30 March, 1652, paid in £150 for the Irish adventure, being one-fourth of their adventure. They paid in £450 more on 19 July, 1642. They now allege (Henry Pettit acting as administrator for Thomas Freeman, deceased) these receipts have been lost, and no use made of them. Lenthall paid in £200. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 179.

Same. Certificate by the Same.

Similar to foregoing. £200 of the £600 was paid in by James Clark. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 180.

1654. 4 June. Assignment by Wm. Prestley.

Assigning his share of £146 10*s.* which has fallen in the barony of Kilkenny [West] in Westmeath, for good consideration to Joseph Clifton, citizen and tallowchandler of London. Covenant for such further assurances for next seven years as can be given within London or Westminster. *P.* 1. *Signed, sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 181.

1653. 19 June. Same by Joseph Clifton, citizen and tallowchandler of London.

Assigning his assigned share (*see foregoing*) to Dame Jane Wharton, wife of Philip, Lord Wharton. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 182.

1642. 18 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £146 10*s.* from Prestley. [*See last document but one.*] *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 183 *and* 184.

19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £600, from Sir Thomas Dakers, Kt., M.P. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 185 *and* 186.

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20 Nov. Assignment by Sir Thos. Dacres or Dakers.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, for good consideration, to Robert Goodwin, of East Grinstead, in Sussex, and Benjamin Goodwin, of Streatham, in Surrey. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 187.

1653. 29 June. Indenture of Agreement between Edmund Peeres, citizen and grocer of London, and Clement Spelman, of the Middle Temple, Esq.

In return for £60 received, Peeres' share of £100 in the Irish adventure to Spelman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Parchment. Signed, &c., by* Peeres, *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 188.

1642. 8 April. 8 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, paid in by Edm. Peeres, of London, grocer. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 189, 189*a and* 190.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts of the same, in all for £100, from Owen Jones, pewterer, of London. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔ *on same paper. Ibid.* 191.

18 April. 12 July. 1 Oct. 22 Dec. Four receipts by the same, in all for £600, from George Farmer or Fermer, of the Inner Temple, one of the protonotaries of the Common Pleas. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 192, 193, 194 *and* 195.

165¾. 14 March. Assignment by John Edwards, of the parish of Great All Hallows, Thames Street, London, tailor.

He assigns his share of £40, which has fallen in the barony of O'Neilland, in the co. Armagh, for good consideration to Thos. Swift, of Holyhead, in Anglesey. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Ibid.* 196.

1642. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £40, from J. Edwards (*see foregoing*). *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 197 *and* 198.

20 April. 12 and 19 July. Three of same for £100 by same from Edward East of London, goldsmith. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 199, 200 *and* 200*a*.

27 Sep. Receipt by same for £150 from Robert Robins, of Exeter. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 201.

1653. 6 July. Assignment by Thos. Beard, citizen and merchant tailor of London, and Sarah Beard, his wife.

They have succeeded, under the will of the late Robert Barefoote, merchant tailor, of London, to his share of £50 in the Irish

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adventure. For good consideration they assign it to Samuel Dobbs, of Southwark, grocer. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 202.

4 July — Deposition by Thomas Beard.

Barefoot (*see foregoing*) by his last will devised his share in the Irish adventure to John Syms. Syms is since dead, and Sarah Beard, formerly known as Sarah Barefoot, is his only and true heir. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 203.

Abstract of the last will of Robert Barefoote, or Barfoote, late of London, merchant tailor.

He bequeaths to his brother John Symes the £50 that he "adventured by sea for the guard of Ireland," according to the note under the hands of the aldermen. Other bequests to his sister Fowler, and his sister Sarah Beard. All his bequests are to be paid within 6 months of his death by his executors, "except that money which is adventured by sea which I know not how it may please God to bless and send it home." He gives the residue to Thomas Beard and makes him sole executor. *P.* 1. *Signed before witnesses: the abstract taken by* Duling Salmon. *Ibid.* 204.

1642. 30 April. 20 May. — Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Robert Barfoote, of London, merchant tailor. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 205 *and* 206.

29 April. 14 July. — Two receipts by same, in all for £50, from Nathan King and Edmund Highgate. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 207 *and* 208.

1653. 6 July. — Deposition by Andrew Pope.

That Hannah King, aged about 7, and now dwelling with deponent, is the only natural daughter of Nathan King, late of Chancery Lane, in Middlesex. *P.* ¼. *Certified and dated by* John Page, 6 July, 1653. *Ibid.* 209.

9 July. — Assignment by Sir John Potts, Kt. and Bt., of Mannington, Norfolk.

"For the natural affection which I bear unto Charles Potts, merchant, one of my sons, and for the better advancement of that noble plantation in Ireland by fit persons," he assigns his lot of £600 to him. *P.* 1. *Signed, sealed and delivered before witnesses. Ibid.* 210.

1642. 2 April. 11 Oct. — Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from Sir John Potts, M.P. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 211, 212, 213.

1643. 1 Jan. — Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

1644. 8 Dec. — That Sir John Potts paid £150 in for the Irish adventure on 19 July, 1642, a receipt for which was given, but is now lost. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 214.

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30 July. Certificate by Same.

That John Nobbes, of Southwark, advanced £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. He received no receipt. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 215.

1642. 11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from Nobbes, Nobbs or Nobes, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. with note by Nobbs that he paid in* £12 10*s. more (see foregoing), but got no receipt therefor as that sum was paid "in Southwark company."* *Ibid.* 216.

1646. 26 May. 14 Aug. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £12 10*s.* from the same, "citizen and bowyer of Southwark." *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 217 *and* 218.

1642. 18 April. 19 July. Two receipts, in all for £100, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Joseph Caryll, preacher, of Lincoln's Inn. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 219 *and* 220.

19 July. Receipt by the same for £50, from Robert Whitehall, parson of Addington, in Bucks. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 220*a*.

29 March. 17 June. Two receipts by Richard Grenville, Sheriff of [Bucks ?], each for £25, paid by Robert Whitehall, parson, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 221 *and* 222.

1647. 13 Dec. Assignment by Joan Mathew.

Assigning a share of £100 in the Irish adventure, which was doubled under the Ordinance of 14 July, 1643, to Isaac Gould, citizen and draper of London, in consideration of his paying in one-fourth part of her said share. The amount so assigned is so much as shall be due to the payment of the one-fourth, but the assignor reserves to herself and her heirs, &c., such benefit as may accrue from her former adventure of £100. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 223.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Isaac Gold [or Gould], of the parish of St. Olave's, Hart Street, London, citizen and draper, by his last will, dated 12 Feb., 165$\frac{0}{1}$, bequeathed amongst other things the land allotted for his Irish adventure in equal parts to his wife and children. The will was proved 5 March, 165$\frac{0}{1}$, and shews that the testator's wife's name was Annie, and his five children were John, Isaac, Thomas and Annie Gold, and Priscilla Ecclestone, wife of John Ecclestone. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbes. *Ibid.* 224.

1642. 29 March. 27 June. 12 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Isaac Gould, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 225, 226 *and* 227.

1643.

13 Oct. 1647. 13 Dec. — Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from same. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 228 *and* 229.

1642. 29 April. 19 July. — Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from John Lee, of London, clothworker. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 230 *and* 231.

26 March. 13 July. — Two receipts by same, in all for £50, from Stephen Archebold. *P.* ⅔, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 232.

19 and 28 March. 24 June. 14 July. — Five receipts by the same, in all for £300, from Robert Dauggs or Dawgs, of Loughton, in Essex. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 233-237.

28 March. 1 June. — Two receipts by the same for £50 from John Goodwyn or Goodwine, of London, clerk. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. with a note that he paid* £1 4*s.* 6*d. for interest. Ibid.* 238 *and* 239.

165⅘. — Assignment by John Goodwin, as above.

10 March. — Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of Navan, co. Meath, to John Parker, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Ibid.* 240.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. — Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Wm. Greenhill, minister, of Stepney. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 241 *and* 242.

1653. 7 July. — Certificate by Wm. Hamon, churchwarden, Thos. Jeffreys, John Wright and Thomas Hamon.

Samuel Watson is the eldest son of Wm. Watson, of London, apothecary. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 243.

1642. 1 July. — Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Wm. Watson, of London, apothecary. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 244.

1653. 30 June. — Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Watson subscribed £12 10*s.* on 28 March, 1642, for the Irish adventure. No receipt was given for this. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 244*a*.

1642. 28 March. 30 April. 12 and 18 July. — Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from Samuel Warner, grocer, and William Thomson, of London, salter. *Each p.* ⅔, *and endorsed with assignments dated* 30 *Nov.*, 1648, *by* Thomson *of his interest therein to* Warner. *Ibid.* 246, 247, 248 *and* 249.

1646.

20 April. Receipt by the Treasurers of 14 July for £300 from the same. *Endorsed as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 289, 245.

1642. 29 April. 14 July. 7 Oct. 23 Dec. 1643. 2 Jan. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £45, for the Irish adventure, from Thomas Phillips, of London, clothworker. *Each p:* ½. *Ibid.* 250, 251, 252, 253, 254 *and* 255.

1642. 24 April. 24 Oct. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from William Lambert, of Coulsden, in Surrey, yeoman. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 256 *and* 257.

19 April. Receipt by same for £200, from Roger Drake, doctor of physic and (on back of same document) for £3 12*s.* as interest, by way of rebate on same. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 259.

1643. 11 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50 from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 258.

1644. 24 Nov. Certificate concerning the last will of Thomas Pate, of London, citizen and cutler.

He and his cousin Mr. Overing, and Mr. Brand, had joined in the Irish adventure—each putting in £200. Half of this has already been assigned to Richard Bates, of St. John Street, for £100 paid. The remaining £100 and profits he bequeaths to his son Edmund or, if Edmund die before the £100 produce anything, then to his sons, Thomas and John.

With note (*in Latin*) that this will was proved 10 Dec., 1644, before Wm. Sames, LL.D., surrogate of Sir Nathaniel Brent, master of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury. *P.* 1. *Endd. with note* that £100 was allowed to Rowland Hill, assignee of Margaret and Edward Pate, to whom the same was given by the last will of the first adventurer. The other £100 was allowed to Richard Bates, assignee of Thos. Pate. *Ibid.* 260.

165⁰⁄₁. Certificate by Thos. Andrewes, Lord Mayor of London.

21 Jan. Thomas Pate advanced in all £200 for the Irish adventure, the acquittances for which have been lost. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 261.

1651. Assignment by Margaret and Edward Pate.

21 Jan. Margaret is the widow and executrix of the late Thomas Pate and Edward Pate is his son. They assign £100 of his share to Rowland Hill, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *&c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 262.

1642. 28 July. Indenture made between Thomas Pate and Richard Bates, citizens and cutlers of London.

Thomas Pate acknowledges that £100 of the £200 paid in by him was properly the money of Richard Bates: and that the £200

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adventured was adventured by them in joint partnership. Pate and his heirs, &c., promise to share the land allotted with Bates and his heirs accordingly, and to give the necessary conveyances, assurances, &c., for that purpose. Pending lawful partition in severalty the lands allotted shall be fairly divided "equally in halves part and part alike" between the parties. They will share the expenses of survey and the payment of rent reserved in equal parts. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* [*Pate*] *before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 263.

12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200 from James Smith, of London, salter. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 264.

165¾. 1 March. Indenture made on 1 March "in the year of our Lord according to the account of England 1653," between James Smyth the elder, of London, salter, and Gilbert Marshall, of Gray's Inn, gentleman.

James Smyth adventured £200 for Ireland, and his lot has fallen in Armagh. He assigns this lot for good consideration to Marshall. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, sealed and delivered by Smyth before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 265.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

Nicholas Guy, of the parish of St. Botolph without Aldgate, citizen and carpenter, by a codicil annexed to his last will, bearing date, 21 Jan., 16$\frac{49}{50}$, and proved 3 May, 1650, bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to his son Thomas and his heirs for ever. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 266.

20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Godfrey Hall, of London, cord-winder. *Each p.* ½; *one endd. Ibid.* 267 *and* 268.

1656. 11 Sep. Assignment by Benjamin Andrewes, citizen and merchant-tailor of London.

The Committee of Claims have allowed to John Goodman, of Market St., Hertford, carrier, £50, being part of £100 formerly paid in by him and by Godfrey Hall, of London, cord-winder, for the Irish adventure. The lot for this £50 has fallen in the barony of Slane, and John Goodman, by poll deed dated 31 March, 1655, assigned it to Andrews. Andrews now assigns the same, for £35 received to Francis Bellers, citizen and grocer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 269.

1655. 31 March. Assignment by Goodman to Andrews, as mentioned in the foregoing.

The consideration is £20 paid by Andrews to Goodman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *As foregoing. Ibid.* 270.

1653.

9 July. Wm. Pitchford to Mr. Turnor [of the Committee of Claims for lands in Ireland?].

Thank you for your advice to Mr. Stedman. I beg you to help the bearer, Elnor [Eleanor] Hall, who has a sum which was her husband's by a former wife. His name is John, now only son and heir to Godfrey Hall. I was asked to certify and know it to be true. *P.* ¾. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 270*a*.

1642. 21 March. 7 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Edward Smith, citizen and saddler of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 272 *and* 273.

1643. 12 Oct. 1647. 20 Dec. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, respectively for £25 and £12 10*s*. from same. The sum of £12 10*s*. is paid in for Mr. Wm. Blackborough, of London, leatherseller. A *note* to it adds that this share of £12 10*s*. belongs not to Blackborough but to Smith. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 271 *and* 274.

1649. 14 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have seen receipt dated 30 May, 1642, purporting that Walter White, Sheriff of the City and County of Exeter, received from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, £50 by the hands of Richard Crossing for the Irish adventure; a further receipt of a similar character for £100, dated 6 June, 1642, and a further and similar receipt for £50, dated 9 July, 1642. They have also seen a receipt purporting that White received £100 from the late Worshipful Thos. Crossing, alderman of the city, in four payments between 29 May, 1642, and 8 April, 1643, made in the name of the said Corporation of Exeter. These sums do not of right belong to the Corporation, but may be enjoyed by Richard Crossing, who is the son and heir of Thos. Crossing. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the Corporation of Exeter. Endd. Ibid.* 275.

1642. 30 May. 6 June. 19 July. Three receipts by Walter White, in all for £200, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Richard Crossing, as referred to in the foregoing. *P.* ½ (*the three on same page*). *Ibid.* 276.

29 May to 1643, 8 April. Receipt by same for £100, from Alderman Thos. Crossing, as referred to in last document but one. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 277.

1648. 17 May. Certificate and Undertaking by Edmond Symeon, of Purton, in Oxfordshire, and Elizabeth Hampden, of Westminster, widow, executors of John Hampden, of Great Hampden, in Bucks, Esq., deceased.

Of John Hampden's share of £1,000 in the Irish adventure £54 belonged properly to James Grocer, of Amersham, butcher. They agree that Grocer shall have a proportionate share in the return to John Hampden's investment. *P.* 1. *Parchment signed, sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 278.

1651.

11 Aug. Assignment by James Grocer.

Recites the facts given in foregoing and assigns the portion therein certified as his to Francis Russell, of Chalfont St. Giles, in return for £50 10s. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Parchment. Signed, sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 279.

1653. 8 July. Oath by Christopher Jenney, citizen and draper of London, *æt.* 50, and Jonathan Gawthorne, of St. Stephens-upon-Walbrook, *æt.* 60, citizen and skinner of London.

They knew Zachariah Worth, late of the parish of Woolchurch, London, citizen and haberdasher, and Zachariah Worth, who is now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½; *certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. with notes* as to partition of [some shares in the Irish adventure]. *Ibid.* 280.

1642. 31 March. 18 July. Two receipts, in all for £700, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament from Wm. Jenney, Peregrine Pretty and Christopher Jenney, partners, and Joseph Ling. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 281 *and* 282.

1653. 6 July. Oath by Wm. Shrimpton, of Whitchurch, in Hampshire, *æt.* 68.

That Wm. Jenney, now a scholar in Cambridge, is the son and heir of Wm. Jenney, late of London, merchant, and was fifteen years old in Nov. last. In Feb., 165½ the son [?] appointed his mother to be his guardian of six years. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 283.

8 July. Oath by Saml. Mewe, of Poultry, in London, *æt.* 33, and John Worth, of Woolchurch parish in London, citizen and salter, *æt.* 25.

They knew Joseph Ling, citizen and salter, who is now deceased, and Joseph Ling, who is now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 284.

Same. Similar Oath by Wm. Roberts, of Candleweek St., citizen and merchant-tailor of London, *æt.* 40, and John Duncan, citizen and grocer of London, *æt.* 40.

They knew Peregrine [Pretty or] Prittie, late of St. John Baptist, near Dowgate, London, woollen-draper, and Peregrine Prettie, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.), &c., as in foregoing. Ibid.* 285.

16 Nov. Assignment by Christopher Jenney.

In consideration of £100 received from John Nary, of New Malton, in Yorkshire, he assigns to him his lot of £100 in the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 286.

1653.

6 July. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

He has discovered the will of the late John Hampden, of Great Hampden, in the Prerogative Office, and has found that he made his mother, Elizabeth Hampden, widow, of Westminster, and his father-in-law, Edward Symeon, of Purton, in Oxfordshire, executors. His will contained no devise of his investment in the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 289, 287.

1649. 25 Oct. Certificate by Thomas Andrewes, Lord Mayor of London.

Roger Hill, of Taunton, subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure. He says he has lost the receipt. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 288.

1654. 12 April. Assignment by Roger Hill, of Taunton, aforesaid.

Assigning his share of £200, which has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, to Wm. Hill, son of Wm. Hill, late of Pounsford [Pauncefoot?], in Somerset. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 289.

1642. 19 April. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John Kilby, of Whethamstead, in Hertfordshire, yeoman. *Each p.* ½. *One Endd. Ibid.* 290 *and* 291.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Edward Thomas Fletcher. *Each p.* ⅓, *on same page. Ibid.* 292.

29 March. 18 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £200, from William Ball, of London, clothworker. *P.* ¾ *and p.* ¾. *Both endd. Ibid.* 293 *and* 294.

18 July. Receipt by same for £50 from Isaack Foster, of London, grocer. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 295.

1643. 31 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.* from the same, of St. Michael's, Crooked Lane, London, grocer. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 296.

1642. 6 April. 14 July. 11 Oct. 1643. 14 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, each for £250, from Sir William Waller, Kt. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 297, 298, 299 *and* 300.

1643. 7 [?] Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £20, paid in by Richard Drury, of St. Saviour's, Southwark. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 301.

1652.

30 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Gabriell Benyon, of Southwark, tallowchandler, advanced £25 on 28 March, 1642, for the Irish adventure. He received no receipt therefor. *P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 302.

1642. 11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 paid in by Benyon. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 303.

30 April. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Richard Venner, of London, barber-surgeon. *P.* ½ *and p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 304 *and* 305.

18 July. Receipt by same for £400 from Richard and Alexander Venner for subscription "in the additional forces by sea for Ireland." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 306.

165¾. 2 Feb. Assignment by John Knight, shoemaker of St. Saviour's, Southwark.

Assigning his share of £12 10*s.* in the Irish adventure for good consideration to Edward Smith, citizen and saddler of London. *P.* 1. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *sealed and delivered before witnesses. Ibid.* 307.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £10, from John Knight, of Southwark. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 310 *and* 310*a*.

1643. 14 July. Same by the Treasurers "for receiving of monies up subscriptions for lands in Ireland, according to an ordinance of Parliament therefor made" for £1 5*s.* from same, "of St. Saviour's, Southwark, cordwainer." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 308.

1643. 12 Sep. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £1 5*s.* from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 309.

1654. 3 Aug. Assignment by John Farthing, citizen of London.

His claims of £62 10*s.* and the £15 12*s.* 6*d.* assigned him out of the claim of William Hiccoks, have fallen in the barony of Stradbally. These claims have been doubled by an ordinance of Parliament of 14 July, 1643, so that as much land is now due upon them as if £156 5*s.* 0*d.* had been paid in. He assigns this share to Thos. Underhill and Francis Tyton, of London, stationers, for good consideration. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed* (*Hol.*), *sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 311.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £400 from Wm. Hiccocks, of London, brewer. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 314.

1646. 14 May. 14 Aug. Two receipts from the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £100, from the same. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 312 *and* 313.

1654.

29 April. Assignment by Same.
Assigning £15 12*s.* 6*d.*, part of his share of £500 in the Irish adventure for good consideration to John Farthing, citizen and cordwainer of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.), sealed and delivered before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 289, 315.

1653. Further Assignment by the Same.
10 Aug. Assigning £62 10*s.*, part of his share as above, to Gabriel Benyon, citizen and tallowchandler of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 316 *and* 317.

1654. Same.
30 May. Assigning £50 of his share as above, which sum was properly the money of John Tarleton, citizen and brewer of London, to the said Tarleton. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 318.

27 April. Same.
Assigning £15 12*s.* 6*d.*, part of his lot of £400, to John Nobes, citizen and bowyer of London. *P.* $\frac{4}{5}$, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 319.

Same. Same.
Assigning £125, part of this £400 share, to Daniel Mercer, son and heir of the late Daniel Mercer, of Southwark, dyer. *P.* 1, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 320.

Same. Same.
Assigning £50, part of his £400 share, which properly belonged to George Meggott, citizen and pewterer of London, to the said Meggott. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 321.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
20 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from "Sir Thomas
19 July. Hampson, Bt."; or from "Thomas Hampson of Toplew [Taplow?] in Bucks, Esq." *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 322 *and* 323.

25 March. Five receipts by same, in all for £500, from Wm. Beeke, of
30 April. London, merchant tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 324, 325, 326, 328 *and*
20 June. 329.
9 July.
12 July.

1643. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £125,
12 Aug. from same. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 327 *and* 330.
1644.
5 Aug.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. Indenture between W. Beeke, as above, and Thomas Vincent,
16 March. of Peckham, in Surrey, Esq.
Recites the sums invested by Beeke as evidenced by the foregoing receipts, which are doubled in value by the ordinance of 14 July, 1643. His lot has fallen in East Meath. For consideration he assigns his whole share to Vincent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *large (parchment). Signed (Hol.) by* Beeke, *sealed and delivered before witnesses. Ibid.* 331.

1653.

30 March. Assignment by Richard Richardson, of London, haberdasher.

Assigning his share of £31 5*s.* in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Slievemargy, for good consideration to Peter Short, citizen and merchant tailor of London. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 332.

1642. 28 March. 11 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Richard Richardson, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 335 *and* 336.

1643. 9 Aug. 23 Sep. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £6 5*s.*, from same, "of Coleman St., London, haberdasher." *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 333 *and* 334.

1654. 5 June. Assignment by Wm. Rathband, youngest son and survivor of Wm. Rathband, minister, late of Coleman Street, London.

Assigning the lot of £100 for which he and his father subscribed, and which is fallen in the barony of Decies, for good consideration, to Thos. Bannister, of the High Street in St. Mary's parish in Oxford, apothecary. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) sealed and delivered before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 337.

1642. 29 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Rathband, minister [the father mentioned in the foregoing]. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. with note by Rathband, the elder, that he subscribed for himself and his youngest son. Ibid.* 338 *and* 339.

22 March. 12 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £100, from Joseph Vaghan, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 340 *and* 341.

165¾. 14 March. Assignment by Wm. Mead, of Bearden, in Essex, gentleman.

Assigning his share of £600, which he has inherited from his father, Thomas Mead, late of London, merchant, for good consideration, to Miles Corbett, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Parliament in Ireland. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., in the presence of witnesses. Ibid.* 342.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Thos. Mead, as aforesaid. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 343 *and* 344.

1653. 11 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On 28 March, 1642, Roger Chillingworth, of Southwark, feltmaker, advanced £50 for the Irish adventure. For £12 10*s.* of this sum, paid in on that day, he got no receipt. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 345.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from Roger Chillingworth, as above. *P.* ⅔, *attached to foregoing. Ibid.* 345*a*.

1642.

16 April. 2 and 19 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £300, from Anthony Ratcliffe, of St. Giles Chalfont in Bucks, Esq. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *two endd. S.P. Ireland* 289, 346, 347 *and* 348.

19 July. Receipt by same for £100, from Richard Barnard, of Lewes, in Sussex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 349.

31 March. 22 June. Two receipts by Giles Garton, Sheriff of Sussex, each for £50, from same. The sums were advanced for purchasing the lands of the late and present rebels in Ireland, according to the propositions made by Parliament. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *attached to one another. Ibid.* 350.

22 June. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £187 10*s.*, from John Russell, of Lewes. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 351 *and* 352.

31 March. Receipt by Garton for £62 10*s.* from same, for purchase in land of Ireland (as above, *No.* 350). *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 352*a.*

1652. 22 Oct. Release by Eleanor Hobeane, one of the daughters of Mascall Giles, late of Wartling, in Sussex, clerk.

She, for herself, her heirs, &c., releases her brother Samuel Giles, who is executor of her father's will, from all claim she may have against him under the said will or otherwise. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 353.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 22 Jan. Similar release from Mercy Giles, of Frant, in Sussex, spinster, daughter of Mascall Giles as aforesaid, to Samuel Giles as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 354.

Extract from the last will of Mascall Giles of Wartling, in Sussex, which bears date 19 July, 1652.

He bequeaths his adventure of £50 for Ireland to his son Samuel and his heirs for ever on condition (1) that Samuel goes over and lives in Ireland; (2) that he makes over to testator's daughter, Mary, if she be alive when he goes over, all the free land which testator has devised to him called Spartham, situate in "Ditcheling" [Ditchling], or else give her £70. If testator's son refuse to live in Ireland he shall take only one third part of the Irish adventure, the residue being divided between his two daughters. *Other details. P.* 1, *with note by Wm. Tibbes that this will was proved* 27 *April,* 1653. *Endd. Ibid.* 355.

1642. 2 July. 8 Oct. 1643. 10 Feb. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Mascall Gyles, of "Ditcherly" [Ditchling, *see foregoing*]. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 356, 357 *and* 358.

31 March. Receipt by the Sheriff of Sussex for £12 10*s.* from same "Minister of Dicheling in Sussex" for the Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 359.

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1643.
22 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the Ordinance of July, 1643, for £23 from the Blacksmiths' Company. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 1.

1649.
14 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

We have seen the receipts purporting that the Sheriff of the City and County of Exeter received from us £50 for the Irish adventure through John Martyne, merchant, on 31 May, 1642, and £150 from us through the same on 19 July, 1642. These sums do not properly belong to us, but John Martyne may of right enjoy them. *P.* ½, *with seal of the Corporation. Endd. Ibid.* 2.

1642.
31 May.
19 July. The two receipts mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1, *on same paper. Endd. Ibid.* 3.

1654.
29 July. Assignment by John Martyn [Martyne], of Exeter, merchant.

The share of £200 which he advanced for the Irish adventure in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, is fallen in the barony of Kilkenny [West]. He assigns it to Richard Crossing, of Exeter, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 4.

1653.
19 Aug. Same by Wm. Pease, junr., citizen and saddler of London.

Assigning his share of £30 for consideration to Simon Rumney, of Otford, in Kent, clerk. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 5.

1644.
11 Nov.
1645.
13 Aug. Two Receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £30, from Wm. Pease. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 6 *and* 7.

1649.
20 April. Assignment by the Lady Phila[delphia] Wharton.

She assigns her £200 share in the Irish adventure to her son, Sir Thos. Wharton, K.B. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*) *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 8.

1642.
18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from "Dame Philadelphia Wharton," dowager, [of] Helaugh [Healaugh], Yorks. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 9.

1654.
13 June. Assignment by Francis Bigge, of London, merchant.

Thomas Corey, of the Inner Temple, Esq., prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, and Thos. How, of South Kenden, in Essex, advanced £600 in the Irish adventure, and their lot is fallen in Rathconrath barony. They have assigned their lot to Bigge. James Reading, citizen and brewer of London, and Susanna his wife, late wife of John Wilding, of St. Olaves, Southwark, goldsmith, have also assigned to Bigge their lot of £62 10*s.* formerly

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advanced by Wilding for the Irish adventure. It has also fallen in Rathconrath. Bigg assigns to Richard Tighe, Alderman, of Dublin, £300 of the £600 and the lot of £62 10*s*. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 10.

20 May. Assignment of Corey and How to Bigg.

As referred to in foregoing. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnessss. Endd. Ibid.* 11.

1654. Assignment by Bigg or Bigge, as aforesaid.

9 June. He assigns the remaining £300 of the sums assigned to him by Corey and How to Philip Pakenham, of London, gent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as above. Endd. Ibid.* 12.

1642. 19 March. 24 March. 11 June. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Corey, prothonotary (&c., as above). *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 13, 14 *and* 15.

9 July. Receipt by same for £400, from Corey and How, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 16.

18 April. Receipt by same for £100 from How, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 17.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Thomas Thorold, of London, by his last will dated 17 May, 1649, and proved 18 July, 1657, devised his £700 share in the Irish adventure, and the land that should be allotted for it, to his son Charles and his heirs for ever. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 18.

1653. Certificate by Nathaniel Manton and John Brett.

12 July. Charles Thorold, of London, merchant, is the son of Thos. Thorold mentioned in foregoing. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 20.

1642. 25 March. 30 April. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,300, from Thos. Vincent, of London, leatherseller. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 19, 21 *and* 22.

15 and 26 March. 19 April. 16 July. Four receipts by same, in all for £600, from Thos. Thorold, of London, Esq., and merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 23, 24, 25 *and* 26.

1643. 14 Aug. 1644. 17 July. 1645. 17 Feb. Three receipts, in all for £150, by the Treasurers of July, 1643, from same. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 27, 28 *and* 29.

165$\frac{2}{3}$. 23 March. Indenture between Charles Thorold, of London, merchant, son and heir of Thos. Thorold, late of London, and Thos. Vincent, of Peckham.

Thorold, for good consideration, assigns to Vincent his shares of £600 and £150, which are doubled by the ordinance of July, 1643. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by Thorold before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 30.

1642.

18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Charles Fox, of London, leatherseller. *P.* ¾. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 31.

165½. Certificate by Alderman Andrews.

7 Feb. That Fox paid in £12 10*s.* on 28 Mar., 1642, the Irish adventure. He had a receipt for this but says it is lost. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 32.

1642. 14 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £97 6*s.* (being £100 less the rebate allowed) from Henry Hastings, "of Kington in Surrey." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 33.

1649. Assignment by Henry Hastings, "of Newington in Surrey."

9 July. He assigns his share of £100 to James "Nowell" of London, goldsmith; also a sum of £8, which he advanced for Sir Wm. Waller's army. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 34.

1654. Assignment by James "Noel," as above.

7 June. He assigns to Francis Thomson of London, merchant tailor, a share of £100 advanced by Henry Hastings, of "Kingston in Surrey." *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 35.

1653. Same by Thos. Tooley, of Boston, in Lincolnshire.

11 July. Assigning one fourth of his share of £600 to Thos. Stratton, of Boston, to whom this sum properly belongs. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 36.

Same. Same by same.

Assigning to Nicholas Brandon of Boston, mercer, £25, part of his share of £600, which is properly Brandon's money. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 37.

Same. Same.

Assigning a similar proportion of same share to Wm. Marshall of Lincoln, mercer, which is properly his money. *P.* ⅔, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 38.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Thos. Tooley, or Towley of Boston, merchant. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 39 *and* 40.

19 July. Receipt by same for £37 10*s.* from John Humphrey, of Southreke [Southwark], embroderer. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 43.

165½. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

2 March. Humphrey advanced a further sum of £12 10*s.*, the receipt for which he says is lost. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 41.

1642. 19 July. 164⅔ [?] 24 March. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Nicholas Bonner and Margaret, his wife. *Ibid.* 42 *and* 44.

1655.
11 April. Assignment by the Master, &c., of the Company of Tallowchandlers in London.

Assigning their share of £68 18*s.* 4*d.*, which is to be in or near the City of Waterford, and is part of the £1,001 share of Samuel Avery, Esq., Thos. Andrews, Alderman, and others, to Thos. Gower, of London, Esq. *P.* ½, *with seal of the company. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 45.

1643.
4 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £68 18*s.* 4*d.* paid by the Tallowchandlers' Co. *P.* ½. *Endd Ibid.* 46.

1653.
9 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

John Catlin, of Flamstead, in Hertfordshire, subscribed £25 for lands in Ireland. He has lost the receipt for a part of this sum. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 47.

1642.
16 April.
20 Sep.
1643.
11 Jan. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £18 15*s.*, from John Catlin or Catling, of Flamstead, Herts. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 48, 49 *and* 50.

1655.
25 July. Assignment by Catlin, as above, yeoman.

Assigning his share of £25, which has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, to Richard Deacon, citizen and clothworker of London. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Ibid.* 51.

1642.
25 March.
30 April.
20 June.
16 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from John Brett, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 52, 53, 54, 54*a and* 55.

1653.
12 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

John Lord Lisle paid in £600 for the Irish adventure in three instalments in April and July, 1642, for which he says that he has lost the receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol). Ibid.* 56.

1642.
19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 from Thos. Beadle, tallowchandler, of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 58.

165½.
2 March. Certificate by Andrewes.

Thos. Beadle also paid in £25 more on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 57.

1653.
12 July. Certificate by Robert Bedell, George Ewer and John Hickman.

Henry Beadle is the eldest son and heir of Thos. Beadle, late of London, tallowchandler, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 59.

1649.

12 April. Assignment by Robert Terry, of London, draper.

Assigning his share of £50 to Thomas Bedell,[1] of London, tallowchandler. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 60.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from Robert Tirrey, of London, draper. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 61.

165½. 2 March. Certificate by Andrews.

Terry paid in £12 10*s.* more on 28 March, 1642, for which he says that he had no receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 62.

1643. 13 Sep. 23 Nov. and Undated. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Thos. and Giles Harding, of London, white bakers. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 63, 64 *and* 65.

8 Aug. 3 Sep. 23 Nov. Three receipts by same, in all for £150, from Thos. Giles, Wm. and Alice Harding. *Each p.* ½. *Each endd. with note by Wm. Harding that his sister Alice and himself are to have no part in this acquittance. Ibid.* 66, 67 *and* 69.

1642. 19 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £600 from Thos. Giles, William and Alice Harding. *P.* ½. *One endd. with note by Wm. Harding that he is to have only a* £100 *share in this and the preceding lot, and with note by Edw. Wall that his sister is to have same. Ibid.* 68 *and* 70*a*.

15 July. Receipt by same for £200 from Thos. and Giles Harding. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 70.

1653. 11 Aug. Assignment by John Lucas of Lynn Regis.

Assigning his share of £100 to Samuel Cooper, citizen and fishmonger of London. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Ibid.* 71.

1642. 19 and 30 April. 16 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Cooper, as above. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 72, 73, 74, 75.

4 April. Receipt by same for £150 from Robert Robins, of Exeter, glover. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 77.

1653. 11 July. Deposition by Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant, son of Sir Roger Smith, late of Edmondsthorp, in Leicestershire, Kt., *æt.* forty or thereabouts.

The receipt for the £75 which he paid in is miscarried and cannot be found. The sum paid in was not doubled at Gurney

[1] The name is spelt in different ways in the MS. These differences are reproduced here.

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House or otherwise, and was not assigned save by Sir Roger Smith to deponent. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) and with date certified by* Thos. Benet. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 76.

1642. 7 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £225, from Sir Roger Smith, of Edmundsthorpe or Edmond Thorpe in Leicestershire. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 78.

1643. 19 July. 19 Aug. 18 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £75 from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 79, 81 *and* 82.

1643. 7 Aug. Assignment by Sir Roger Smith.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, in all of the value of £375, to his son Erasmus in consideration of his natural love towards him. *P.* 1, *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses, who certify that the insertion of Erasmus' name and his heirs, &c., was made before sealing and delivery. Ibid.* 80.

1654. 27 July. Assignment by Thos. Rogers, of Hornechurch, in Essex.

Assigning his share of £25 to John Farley, citizen and grocer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 83.

Same. Assignment by Grace and John Browne.

Grace Brown "of Southend of Hornechurch in Essex," is widow and executrix of the will of her husband George Browne, sen., late of same, yeoman, deceased. John Browne, of Romford, is eldest son and heir of same. They assign their husband's and father's lot, which has fallen in Eastmeath, to John Farley, citizen and grocer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 84.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

He has perused the will of George Browne, as above, which was proved in July, 1654, and finds that he made therein no devise of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed by Tibbs, and followed by—*

18 July. Certificate by Thos. Rogers, of Hornechurch, Essex.

John Browne, of Romford, is the eldest son and heir of George, as aforesaid. *In all, p.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 85.

1642. 19 July (2). Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from George Browne, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 86 *and* 87.

29 March. Receipt by same for £12 10*s.* from Thomas Rogers and George Browne, as aforesaid. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 88.

30 April. Receipt by same for £300 for "the additional forces by sea for Ireland," from Robert Staunton, Esq. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 90.

1647. 20 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £75, from the same of "Byrchmore in Bedfordshire." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 89.

165¾.

4 March. Assignment by Robert Staunton, as aforesaid.

Assigning his lot of £375, which is doubled by the ordinance of July, 1643, and has fallen in Armagh to John Dawson, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq., for £375. Usual covenants. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 91.

1654. Same by John Dawson, as aforesaid.

26 May. Assigning his assigned lot as in foregoing assignment to Sir Wm. Brereton, of Croydon, Bart. Consideration not stated. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 92

1642. 13 April. 27 May. 2 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Wm. Henman, merchant tailor. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 93, 94 *and* 95.

23 March. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Nicholas Lockyer, of Islington, clerk. *P.* ¾ *and p* ¾. *Ibid* 97 *and* 99.

1647. 20 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1642. 18 July. 12 Oct. 1643. 7 Jan. 8 April. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Lowe, of Elton, in Hereford, clerk. *P.* ¾ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 98, 100, 101 *and* 102.

1654. 20 Nov. Assignment by Joseph Clifton, citizen and tallowchandler of London.

Assigning to Robert Western, of London, merchant, the lot of £200 formerly adventured by William Ballard, of Hornechurch in Essex, which has fallen in Portnehinch, Queen's Co., and which has since been assigned by Ballard to him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 103.

30 June. Assignment by Ballard to Clifton.

As mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1. *As above. Ibid.* 104.

1642. 29 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. Ballard, of Hornechurch, yeoman. *Each p.* ¾, *one endd. Ibid.* 105 *and* 106.

1 April. 30 June. Two receipts by same, in all for £200, from Wm. Sheppey or Shippey, of London, weaver. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 108 *and* 109.

164⅞. 15 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers under the ordinance of Parliament of 10 Nov., 1647, for £25, from same. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 107.

1643. 11 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 110.

165½.

26 Feb. Deposition by John Claydōn, of the Chapel of the Rolls in Chancery Lane, London.

He paid in £200 for the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. (*Hol.*), *certified and dated by* Robt. Aylett. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 290, 111.

1642. 20 April. 13 July. 4 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from John Claydon, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 112, 113 *and* 114.

22 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers "ordained by the ordinance of the present Parliament to receive all such monies and plate as shall be brought in according to certain propositions printed and published together with the said ordinance"[1] for £50 from Claydon, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 115.

1652. 1 May. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Robert Garner, of Sleaford, in Lincolnshire, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure on 16 April, 1642, as the first fourth part of £200. He paid in the balance on 19 July following. He has made affidavit before one of the Masters of the Chancery that he has lost the receipts. This certificate is accordingly given. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd.* *Ibid.* 116.

1653. 12 July. Further Certificate by Same.

Sir John "Poole," of Shute, in Devon, paid in £103 for the Irish adventure, for which the receipt is lost. This certificate is accordingly given. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing.* *Ibid.* 117.

Acknowledgement by Sir John "Poole."

One-fifth part of the sums adventured by him for Ireland was adventured by Mistress Amy Sims, and is now due to her husband Samuel Peirper [?]. *P.* ½. *Signed with note by* Samuel Pigg *that the above is in the hand of* Sir John "Polle." *Ibid.* 118.

1654. 30 Aug. Deposition by Isaac Le Gay, of Soper Lane, London, merchant, *æt.* 40.

He knew Abraham Turin, late of St. Sythe's [Swithin's?] Lane, London. He died without issue of his body living, and John Jurin, of Pancras parish [and of] Soper Lane, London, is his eldest brother. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., certified and dated by* Thos. Vyner, Mayor. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 119.

1649. 1 Oct. Assignment by Richard Shingler, of London, draper.

Assigning his share of £150 to John Taylor, citizen and girdler of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd.* *Ibid.* 120.

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[1] Hereinafter called for brevity "the Treasurers of Monies and Plate."

1651.

10 Dec. Same by John Lordell, of London, merchant.

Assigning £50 of his share of £100, the other £50 of which properly belongs to James Lordell, of London, merchant, to John Jurin and Isaac Jurin, merchants, of London. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 290, 121.

1642. 29 March. 28 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from John Jurin, Isaac and Abraham Jurin, John Lordell and Richard Shingler. *P.* ½ *each, and each with a note that* John Jurin *pays three times as much as the others, who pay equally one with another. Ibid.* 122, 123 *and* 124.

30 April. 15 July. Two receipts by same, each for £100, from John Jurin. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 125 *and* 126.

1649. 6 Nov. Releases by Nathaniel and Alice Wright and John Raymont.

John Pollyn and John Raymant, citizens and whitebakers of London, formerly advanced £600 for Ireland. We declare that the receipts for £300 of the same belongs of right to [me] John Raymant and that for the other £300 to [me] Alice, the wife of Nathaniel Wright, of Dagnam, in Essex, late executrix of John Pollyn, deceased, and through me to my [Alice's] husband. We, Nathaniel and Alice, release Raymont from all claims from us on these receipts and disclaim all right thereto. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by the three parties before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 127.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300 from Pollen and "Rayment." *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 130.

30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by Walter White, Sheriff of Devon and Exeter, in all for £500, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Lovering. *P.* ½, *on same paper. Ibid.* 129.

10 April. 7 July. 18 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £100, from John Lovering. *P.* 1. *With certificate signed (Hol.) by* Adam Bennett, Richard Saunders and Richard [?] Evans that these sums were paid in. *Ibid.* 128.

1649. Nov. 20. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipts for £375 and £125, which they have seen, purporting to be for money of theirs advanced for Ireland, were not receipts for their money but for that of John Lovering, Esq. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 131.

1642. 19 April. 14 and 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Felix Kingston, of London, stationer. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 132 *and* 135, 137.

1643. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £8 6*s.* 8*d.* from the same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 133. *This and the last three have attached to them rough notes of accounts, apparently relating to a stationer's business, each p.* 1, *ibid.* 134, 136, 138 *and* 138*a*.

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9 Jan. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

Herbert Morley, Esq., M.P., subscribed £600 for Ireland in April, July and December, 1642, for which he has lost a receipt given him. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 139.

1642. 7 April. 5 July. 7 Oct. Three receipts, in all for £450, from Herbert Morley, M.P., of Glynde, in Sussex. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 140, 141 *and* 142.

20 Aug. Acknowledgment by Edward Parkes, citizen and merchant tailor of London.

He has in his custody a writing dated 30 April, 1642, under the hands of Alderman Andrews and Laurence Halstead, the Treasurers at the Chamber of London, acknowledging that they have received of him Parkes, £50; of Wm. Jeston, citizen and merchant of London, £50; of Leonard Tillett, late citizen and salter, deceased, £50; of Arthur Crewe, citizen and haberdasher of London, £50; of Wm. Boggis, of Suffolk, gentleman, £25; in all £225, being one half of the sum subscribed by him and them for Ireland. He received of Jeston £50. All these sums were for the Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 143.

16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from Wm. Jeston, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 144.

1643. 25 March. Receipt for cloth and baize, value £10, from same by the Treasurers under the ordinance of 30 Jan., 164$\frac{2}{3}$. The cloth is valued by the appraisers appointed by the Committee of the House of Commons. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 145.

22 July. 14 Aug. 19 Sep. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £27 10*s.* from Jeston, as aforesaid. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 146, 147 *and* 148.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 3 March. Assignment by Wm. Jeston.

Assigning his share of £137 10*s.* to Erasmus Smith, Esq., for £123 15*s.* Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 149.

1642. 16 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Samuel Avery, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 150 *and* 151.

1647. 18 Dec. (2). Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £100, from same, who is one of the sheriffs of the city. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Ibid.* 152 *and* 153.

1651 [n.s.]. 23 Feb. Amsterdam. Assignment by Gabriel Miles, late of London, mercer, and now residing at Viane [Vianen], in the Netherlands.

Assigning his lot of £800 to Avery, as aforesaid. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 154.

1642.

5 and 10 March. 28 May. 22 Aug. 16 Nov.

Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £800, from Miles, or Mills, as aforesaid. *P.* ⅔ *each. S.P. Ireland* 290, 155–6–7–8 *and* 9.

18 July.

Receipt by same for £75, from John Yates of Leintwarden [Leintwardine], in Hereford, clerk. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 160.

Same.

Same of same for same from Thos. Pynner, of Brompton, in Hereford. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 161.

19 July and 1643, 25 March.

Two of same by same, in all for £300, from Wm. Kendall, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 163 *and* 166.

1642. 18 July.

One of same of same, for £75, from Thomas Smith, of London, apothecary. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 162.

22 March. 1 April.

Two of same by same, in all for £75, from Smith, Yates and Pynner, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 164 *and* 165.

1654. 1 June.

Assignment by Wm. Kendall, of London, "merchant," eldest son of Wm. Kendall, late of London, merchant tailor, deceased.

Assigning his lot of £300, which has fallen in the barony of Portnehinch, to Thos. Vincent, of London, alderman. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 167.

1653. 14 July.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs and Wm. Williamson.

Wm. Kendall, "merchant tailor," &c., as in foregoing, is the eldest son and heir of Wm. Kendall, late of Bread Street, London, citizen and merchant tailor. *P.* ⅓. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 168.

165¾. 9 March.

Assignment by Alderman Thos. Andrewes.

Assigning half of his share which, by the ordinances of Parliament, is increased to £3,537 10*s.*, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 169.

Same.

Same by same.

Assigning half of his adventure [as in foregoing] to Sir John Clotworthy, kt., of St. Martin's in the Fields. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 170.

1654. 1 May.

Declaration of Clotworthy and Hawkins.

As assignees under the two foregoing documents they declare and agree that £100 worth of the adventure assigned to them, which was really subscribed for by Wm. Spurstowe, Esq., and £584 7*s.* 6*d.* worth of the same, belongs to Hawkins, and that the remaining £884 7*s.* 6*d.* belongs to Clotworthy.

These sums together represent Andrewes' subscription. By the ordinance of Parliament he was paid in land as if he had advanced £3,537 10*s.* *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd.*: "Allowed to Sir John Clotworthy and Mr. Hawkins, the house only excepted." *Ibid.* 171.

1654.

22 April. Assignment by Sir John Clotworthy.

Assigning £900, the lot assigned to him by Andrews, which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, to Charles Doe, citizen and goldsmith of London, for good consideration. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 172.

1642. 26 March. 17 July. 1645. 26 Nov. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,175, from Alderman Andrewes. *Each p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 173, 174 *and* 175.

1646. 18 April (3) Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £373 15*s.* from Alderman Andrewes. *Each p.* ½. *One endd. Ibid.* 176, 177 *and* 178.

164⅞. 15 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers of Nov., 1647, for £100 from same. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 179.

Rough notes and calculations to Alderman Andrewes' receipt, &c. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 180.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Richard Crispe, of Maidstone, in Kent, gent., in his last will, dated 2 Oct., 1646, devised his land in Kent and his share of £600 in the Irish adventure to his son Richard. The will was proved 21 March, 164⅞. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 181.

1653. 12 July. Certificate by John Sanders, Mayor [of Maidstone].

That Richard Crispe, the bearer, is the only son of Richard, as above. *P.* ½. *Signed by the* Mayor. *Ibid.* 182.

1642. 16 and 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Richard Crispe, of Maidstone, gentleman. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 183 *and* 185.

19 July. Receipt by same for £37 10*s.* from Henry Hawkes, of London, tallowchandler. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 184.

165½. 7 Feb. Certificate by Alderman Thos. Andrewes.

That Henry Hawkes, of London, tallowchandler, advanced £12 10*s.* on 20 March, 164⅔, for which he says that he has lost the receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 186.

1646. 16 May. 25 June. 12 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £12 10*s.*, from Hawkes, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 187, 188 *and* 191.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Marmaduke Tennant, of London, minister. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. with*—

164½. 23 Mar [*sic*] Assignment by Tennant.

Assigning his lot to James Kendall, of London. *P.* ¼. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Small p.* 1. *Ibid.* 189.

1642. 26 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £450, from Samuel Pennoyer, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 190.

1654.

3 July. Assignment by Philip Starkey, citizen and cook of London.

Assigning his share of £200, which has fallen in the barony of Garrycastle, and which is his by assignment from Nicholas Isack, to John Sweeting, citizen and pewterer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 192.

1653. 16 July. Assignment by Nicholas Isack, of the city and county of Exeter.

Assigning his lot as shewn in foregoing. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 193.

1642. 30 April. 9 May. 12 July (2). Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Nicholas Isaack, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Two endd. Ibid.* 194, 195, 196 *and* 197.

1653. 1 Sept. Assignment by Thomas Waterhouse, of London, fishmonger.

Assigning his share of £125, for £125 received, to Nathaniel Micklethwaite, citizen and fishmonger of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 198.

1642. 19 April. 11 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Waterhouse, as above. *P.* ⅓ *each. One endd. Ibid.* 199 *and* 200.

1643. 27 July. 6 Oct. 1644. 9 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from same. *P.* ½ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 201, 202 *and* 203.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

John Berry, of the parish of Sepulchre's without Newgate, London, citizen and carpenter, by his last will dated 17 Dec., 1646, bequeathed all his property after payment of his debts to his two sons John and Samuel Berry. *P.* ½. *Certified a true extract by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 204.

1653. 9 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

John Berry, of Southwark, carpenter, subscribed £50 for lands in Ireland on 28 March, 1642. He had no receipt therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 205.

1642. 6 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Berry, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 206 *and* 208.

25 March. 16 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from John and Benjamin Ducane, *alias* Duquesne, of London. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 207 *and* 209.

1654. 5 Sept. Assignment by the Ducanes, as above.

Assigning their share of £100, which has fallen in the barony of Connello in Limerick, to John Jurin, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 210.

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13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from "Wm. Gibbs, of London, goldsmith." *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 212.

1644. 9 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50 from "Wm. Gibbs, of London, alderman." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 211.

164⅞. 14 Jan. Declaration by Robert Turbridge, of St. Martin's in the Fields, Middlesex.

He has paid in £300 to the Treasurers at Grocers' Hall, being one half of the sum heretofore advanced severally by James Martyn, of London, fishmonger, and Thomas Gouge, vicar of "Pulcher's" [St. Sepulchre's, London]. He declares that this share is the sole property of Philip, Lord Viscount Lisle, and that his [Turbridge's] name was only nominally used in trust. Lord Lisle may claim the sum at any time. *P.* 1; *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 213.

13 Jan. (2). Two receipts by the Treasurers of Nov., 1647, in all for £300, from Robert Turbridge, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 213*a and* 214.

1646. 4 Dec. Assignment by Thomas Corbett, of London, merchant.

Assigning one half of the £250 paid in to the Irish adventure by Miles Corbett, which was really the property of Thos. Corbett, to his father-in-law, Laurence Bromfield, of London. Bromfield paid in £50 of the original adventure. *P.* ¾. *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 215.

10 Aug. Same by Miles Corbett, of Great Yarmouth in Norfolk.

Acknowledging that the £250 paid in by him to the Irish adventure was really the property of Thos. Corbett, of London, merchant, his brother, and assigning the lot due upon that investment to Thos., in fulfilment of the trust and for other considerations. *P.* ⅔. *Parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 216.

1642. 28 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Miles Corbett, Esq., M.P. *P.* ⅓ *each; one* (*No.* 219) *endd. with note* that Corbett paid £50 more, as an acquittance of 24 April, 1646, shows, *and also underwritten with note by* Corbett that this receipt is for the use of his brother Thomas. *Ibid.* 218 *and* 219.

1646. 24 April. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 217.

Copies of the three foregoing, with—

(1) Note of the transfers to Thos. Corbett and to Bromfield, and with—

1653. 2 Sept. (2) Assignment by Bromfield and Thos. Corbett.

They assign these documents and all the interest in the lands to which they relate, for consideration, to Wm. Barker, of London, merchant.

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2 Sept. (3) Agreement by the same with Barker.

If Barker is not paid in land on the principle that the £250 is doubled, as was promised in July, 1643, they will pay him such proportion back of his purchase money as may be equitable. *In all, pp.* 1¾, *the last agreement signed, &c., by* Bromfield and Corbett. *S.P. Ireland* 290, 220.

1654. Assignment by Thos. Seward, of London, merchant.

19 June. Assigning the lot of about £250, which has been assigned to him by Wm. Barker, the assignee of Thos. Corbett and Bromfield, and £100 more which he has received by assignment from Edmund Page, of London, haberdasher, to Robert Moulsworth, merchant, of Dublin, for consideration; also all the lands to be allotted in respect of these lands in the barony of Lune in Eastmeath. *P.* ¾, *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 221.

7 July. Deposition by Moses Wall.

It is this day sworn by Moses Wall, of Twitnam (Twickenham), in Middlesex, gentleman, that he has lost a bill for £50, the first part of £250 which he adventured for Ireland. *P.* ½. *Attested and dated by* Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 222.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

19 July. King and Parliament for £150 from Moses Wall, of Margeret, Fish Street [St. Margaret, New Fish Street], London. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 223.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrews.

7 July. He received £50 from Wall, as above, for the Irish adventure on 15 April, 1642, the receipt for which is lost. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 224.

27 Aug. Assignment by Richard Floyd, citizen and girdler of London.

Assigning his lot of £200, which he has as assignee of John Dod, citizen and salter of London, to George Spilman, the elder, of Great Yarmouth, in Norfolk, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 225.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

29 March. King and Parliament for £200 from Dod, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 226.

1650. Assignment by Dod.

20 April. To Richard Floyd, as above *No.* 225 *q.v. P.* ¾, *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 227.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

29 March. King and Parliament for £300 from Richard Floyd, of London, girdler. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 229.

1643. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £45 from

11 July. same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 228 *and* 232.

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1646. Same by same, in all for £40, from Richard Andrews, citizen

7 Aug. and girdler of London. *Each p.* ½. *One endd. Ibid.* 231.

1643.

11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from same. *Endorsed with* :—

1644. Certificate by John Madden.

5 July. The cash book shows that Andrewes paid in £50 on 11 July, 1643, as the fourth part of a former adventure, but the truth is that £300 was adventured in the name of Richard Floyd, whereof £150 belonged to Andrewes, as Floyd now declared. Floyd is willing that Wm. Andrewes have a discharge for that £50, and that he will expect satisfaction from Mr. Andrews to put the account straight between them. *P.* ¾. *Signed. S.P. Ireland* 290, 230.

165¾. Assignment by Richard Andrewes, as aforesaid.

11 March. Assigning his share of £375 in the Irish adventure to Richard Floyd, as above; also his share in £40, which he and Floyd adventured together for rebel lands in the city of Waterford. *P.* ⅔ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 233.

1649. Certificate by Thos. Andrewes, Lord Mayor of London.

4 July. Thomas Knight subscribed £200 of the £600 subscribed by Bulstrode Whitelocke. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 234.

9 June. Assignment by Bulstrode Whitelocke, one of the Lords' Commissioners of the Great Seal of England.

Assigning to Thos. Knight, as aforesaid, the £200 adventured by Knight, together with Whitelocke. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 235.

1642. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
7 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Bulstrode
8 June. Whitelocke, Esq., M.P. *P.* ½ *each, one underwritten with receipt*
19 July. (*Hol.*), *by* Whitelocke, *dated* 3 *May*, 1642, *for* £50 *paid him by* Knight, *as above. Ibid.* 236, 237 *and* 239.

1654. Assignment by John Bligh and George Clerk.

29 Aug. Assigning to Robert Mowlsworth their share in an adventure of £300 granted to all three of them in the barony of Morgallion, co. Meath. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 238.

8 June. Assignment by Thomas Knight, of Wyfold Court, Oxfordshire, Esq.

Assigning his share of £300 in the Irish adventure to John Blyth, citizen and saddler of Dublin; Robert Moulsworth, of Dublin, Esq., and George Clark, of London, merchant, in consideration of £165 paid him by them. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 240.

1657. Same by Nathaniel Wade, son of Richard Wade, late of
1 July. London, carpenter.

The £100 which his father adventured in Ireland, is allowed by the Committee of Claims to himself, Timothy, Benjamin and Richard, his brothers, they having a bequest of it under the last

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will of their father. Nathaniel Wade assigns his share to his brothers. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 241.

Memorandum by Wm. Tibbs.

On 18 Jan., 164$\frac{7}{8}$, Richard Wade, of Mary Aldermanbury, in London, carpenter, by verbal declaration bequeathed his adventures of £100 and £85 equally amongst his then living children. These were sons, Timothy, Nathaniel, Richard and Benjamin. The will was proved 8 March, 164$\frac{7}{8}$. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 242.

1642. 23 March. 4 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wade, sen., as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 243, 244 *and* 245.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 3 Jan. Assignment by Daniel Farrington, of London, merchant, eldest son and heir of William Farrington, same of same.

Assigning his share of £250 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Eglish, King's Co., to his brother, Anthony Farrington, of the Inner Temple, London, gentleman. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 246.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Wm. Farrington, as above, by his last will dated 25 July, 1643, assigned the whole residue of his estate to Daniel, Thos. and Anthony Farrington, and made them his executors. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified a true extract by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 247.

1654. 11 July. Same by Thomas Barnardiston, of London, merchant.

He has now the following children living, vizt., Mary, Thomas, John, Elizabeth, Susan, Abigail, Nathaniel, Leddia, and Samuel, by Anne, his late wife, who was the daughter of Henry Poulstead, Esq. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. (*Hol.*) *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 248.

164$\frac{5}{6}$. 2 March. Assignment by Henry Poulstead, of London, Esq.

From natural affection he assigns his share of £250 to Anne, his daughter, wife of Thomas Barnardiston, of London, merchant, and to her husband, for the advancement of such children as she has or shall have by her said husband at the time when they marry or attain the age of twenty years, with remainder to the parents or to the survivor of them. *P.* 1, *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 249.

1643. 4 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50 from Poulsted, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. with note* of a transfer thereof on 2 March, 164$\frac{5}{6}$, to Barnardiston. *Ibid.* 250.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from Thos. Barnardiston, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 252.

1646. 24 April. 1647. 18 Dec. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £82 10*s.*, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Each endd. Ibid.* 251 *and* 253.

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14 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,011 8*s.* 0*d.* from Henry Poulsted, Wm. Farrington, Thos. Barnardiston, Hugh Norris, Thos. Stubbines, Caldwell Farrington and Henry Polsted, of London, jun., merchants. £38 12*s.* is added by way of rebate, making £1,050 in all. *P.* ½, *endd. with* receipt by same for the said £38 12*s.*, dated 16 July, 1642. *S.P. Ireland* 290, 254.

164½. 19 March. Receipt by the same for £350 from the same persons, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* ½. *Endd. with* particulars of individual subscriptions. *Ibid.* 255.

1642. 20 April. 12 and 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. Peckett, of Breadgate, in Kent, clerk. *P.* ½ *each. One endd. Ibid.* 256, 257 *and* 259.

16 April (2). 30 April and 5 July (3). Six receipts by the same, in all for £300, from Robert Lambell, of London, grocer. *P.* ½ *each, except No.* 262*a, which is p.* ¼, *and endd. on the back of* 262. *Ibid.* 258, 260, 261, 262, 262*a and* 263.

1653. 7 July. Assignment by Robert Parkhurst, of Purford, in Surrey, son and heir of Sir Robert Parkhurst, of the same, kt., deceased.

Assigning one half his lot of £1,000 to John Thompson, of Great Hadham, Herts. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 264.

12 July. Certificate by Alderman Thos. Andrewes.

Robert Parkhurst, son of the late Sir Robert, affirms that the receipts given to his late father for his adventure of £1,000 are lost, and has made oath before the Masters of the Chancery that neither before nor since his father's death was the property therein ever altered by being doubled or sold. Andrewes therefore certifies the dates of the receipts (*dates given*). *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 265.

1642. 29 April. Receipt by John Girlington, Esq., Sheriff of Lancashire, for £50 from Thos. Birche, of Birche, in the said county, for the Irish adventure. The sheriff will forward the same to the Chamber of London. *P.* ½. *Signed by Sheriff and with seal of his office. Endd. Ibid.* 266.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150 from same. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 267.

1653. 18 July. Bond by Henry Wharton, of Shoe Lane, in the Parish of Bridget, or Bride's, near Fleet Street, London, carpenter.

He binds himself in £100 to the "Keepers of the liberty of England."

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He has married Hester Davenport, the widow of Henry Davenport, who adventured £25 for Ireland, and who died without issue. The condition of the above bond is that if Wharton holds the "Committee and Keepers of the liberties of England" harmless against all claims made in respect of the £25 above mentioned it is void. If he does not so hold them harmless, then this bond to stand firm. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Wharton *before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 290, 268.

1642. 26 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £98 15*s.* from Henry Davenport, John Stevenson and John Reynolds. £1 15*s.* being allowed in debate. *P.* ½. *Endd with*—Receipt by same for £1 15*s.* from same, dated 7 July, 1642, *and further endd. In all, p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 269 *and* 270.

1650. 20 May. Assignment by Henry Pettit, citizen and merchant tailor of London.

Assigning his lot of £200 to Thomas Bull, citizen and clothworker of London, and giving him power of attorney to make good assignor's claim thereto. Covenant for further powers. *Pp.* 1¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 271.

1649. 30 July. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

Certifying that certain sums were paid in in 1642 for the Irish adventure by Pettit. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 272.

165¾. 20 March. Assignment by Thos. Bull, as aforesaid.

Assigning his lot of £200 to Henry Hampson, citizen and merchant tailor of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 273.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £60 from Richard Castell, of London, wool-winder. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 274.

Same. Receipt by same for same from John Turlington, of London, spectacle maker. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 276.

28 and 31 March. 1 April and 16 July. Four receipts by same, in all for £320, from Thos. Chewning, of London, skinner, Wm. Ridge, John Fletcher, John Turlington, Richard Castell and Francis Scott (or from "Thomas Chewning & Co." or from Chewning alone). *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 275, 277, 278 *and* 279.

1654. 15 April. Assignment by Francis Hill, of London, gentleman.

Assigning his lot of £100 to Samuel Eames. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 280.

7 Oct. Same by Overington Blundell, of Southwark, in Surrey.

Assigning a lot of £100 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Eliogarty, co. Tipperary, in Ireland, to Robert Field, of Woking, Surrey. This is part of the lot of £700 drawn by Richard Hill, of London, merchant, and belonged properly to Charles White, of Beavale, in Nottinghamshire. Hill, in

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performance of a trust reposed in him by White, has assigned it to the present assignor. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 281.

4 April. Same by Richard Hill, as above.

£100 of the £700 adventured by me belonged to Charles White, and another £100 thereof to Richard Hill, of Basinghall Street, merchant, deceased. By mistake I assigned the £200 above mentioned and belonging to others, to Francis Hill, son and heir of the said Richard Hill, deceased. This assignment is now lost. Lots have been drawn for the £100 properly belonging to White, and have fallen in the barony of Eliogarty. In order to perform "the trust in me reposed" by White I assign his lot of £100 to Blundell as aforesaid [*see foregoing*]. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 282.

1642. 7 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from Richard Hill, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Both endd. Ibid.* 283 *and* 284.

1653. Note by Richard Hill.

16 July. That Richard Lobb, of Falmouth, [1] Richard Hill, son and heir [2] of Richard Hill, of London, merchant, deceased, [3] living at the *Helmet* in Basinghall Street at Mr. Harding's house, and Richard Hill himself [?] are partners in his £700 share. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. (*Hol.*) *Endd. Ibid.* 285.

Extract from the Will of George Haule, of Maidstone, Esq., extracted out of the Registry for probate of wills, and granting administrations:—

He bequeaths his share in the Irish adventure to his sons in equal portions, reserving a power on later thoughts to give a share to his daughters "if even the State be so honest as to pay it, not being a juster debt due upon the earth."

This will was proved before Wm. Foorth, D.L. and surrogate, 24 June, 1652, by his widow, who was his executrix. *Followed by*:—

1653. Certificate by Richard Beale.

18 July. That George and Samuel Haule are the surviving sons of George Haule, late of Maidstone, in Kent. *In all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 286 *and* 287.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £250 for the Irish adventure, from George Haule, of Maidstone. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. with note* that the £1,200 adventured in the name of John Bigg, of Maidstone, has been adventured by him, together with George Haule, Richard Crispe, Robert Swynoke and James Smith, of Friday Street, London, salter; *and further endd. Ibid.* 288.

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(1) The words "Mrs. Hill" appear here not scratched out, and the name "Trephin" scratched out and replaced by "Richard."

(2) The word "widow" is here erased and replaced by "son and heir."

(3) The word "she" appears before "living" and is not erased.

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Certificate by Tibbes.

That John Evans, of London, gent., by his last will bequeathed to Robert Malthouse the £50 which he adventured for Ireland. This will is dated 17 June, 1643, and was proved 1 Aug., 1643. *P.* ½. *Signed by Tibbes. S.P. Ireland* 290, 289.

Further Certificate by same.

The will of John Evans, of Kingston-on-Thames, dated 18 April, and proved 11 May, 1642, shews that John Evans, therein mentioned, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 290. *Followed by—*

16 April. Receipt by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, for £12 10*s.* paid him by John Evans, of Kingston. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 291.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 292.

1654. 31 May. Assignment by John Thewar, of Redburne, in Herts.

Assigning his lot of £25 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Onelan (O'Neilland), co. Armagh, to Thos. Owen, of Brandfield in the same county. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 293.

1642. 16 April. 12 July. 1 Nov. 1643. 2 Feb. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all £25, from Thewar as aforesaid. *P.* ⅔ *each. Two endd. Ibid.* 294, 295, 296 *and* 297.

1653. 16 July. Oath by Herbert Springett, of Lincolns Inn Fields, *æt.* 24 or thereabouts.

He well knew the late Sir Wm. Springett, kt., of Langley, in Kent, deceased. Guilielma Maria Springett is his sole daughter and heir. Sir Wm. Springett did not, by his last will, bequeath to anybody his £300 share in Irish land, which was part of £600 subscribed by Sir Edward Patherick [Partridge].[1] *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 298.

Same. Same by James Master, of Gray's Inn.

Capt. George Master, youngest son of Sir Edward Master, Kt., of the city and co. of Canterbury, deceased, and to whom Sir Edward gave by will his £300 adventure on Irish land, died in Sep., 1652, and did not assign or dispose of that adventure. Richard Master, of Denton, in Essex, is the eldest brother and heir of the said George Master. *P.* ⅓. *Certified and dated by* Aylett. *Ibid.* 299.

(1) The name is spelt in several different ways, each of which is reproduced.

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Extract from the will of Sir Edward Master, as above.

The will is dated 18 May, 1648, and enjoins Sir Edward Partridge when the land is allotted to his and testator's joint share to make over the portion covenanted to testator's son George and his heirs for ever.

With note (*in Latin*) *by* William Longmore that the will was proved 21 Aug., 1648. *P.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 290, 300.

1642. 6 Oct. 29 Dec. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Sir E. Partrig, or Parthrich, as above. *P.* ½. *Each one endd. Ibid.* 301 *and* 302.

1653. 15 July. Certificate by Andrewes that Parthriche, as above, on 19 April, 1642, paid £150 for the Irish adventure, and on 14 July next £150 more. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 303.

1642. 11 May. Articles of Agreement between Sir Edward Master, Kt., of Canterbury, and Sir Edward Partherick, of Vinters, in Kent.

Recitals set out the Act of 3 Nov., "1640" [1641] for reduction of the Irish rebels and that Partridge has invested £600 in the adventure, and that Sir Edward Master has paid him £75.

It is agreed—

(1) Master will pay Partridge the balance of £300, making up half of Partridge's whole adventure within a certain time (*date given*).

(2) Partridge will duly pay in these sums [as he receives them].

(3) Sir Edward Master and his heirs, &c., to have a half of the lands allotted in the whole adventure of £600.

(4) Each party will bear its own costs in the matter. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c.*, "Edward Partheriche," *before witnesses. Endd. with note* that £300 was allowed to Richard, brother and heir of Geo. Master, to whom Sir Edward assigned, and £300 to Guilielma Maria Springett, sole daughter and heir of Sir Wm. Springett, assignee of the said Sir Edward Petherich. *Ibid.* 304.

13 May. Similar Articles between Parthrich and Springett.

Recites the relevant Acts and the subscription of Parthrich. It is agreed that he and Springett shall hold the share of £600 jointly, Springett having paid £75 already to Parthrich. Other agreements similar to those in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 305.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Edward Page, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 307.

11 and 18 March. 22 and 30 April. 15 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £500, from John Clarke, of Bury St. Edmunds, ironmonger. *P.* ⅔ *each. Two endd. Ibid.* 306, 308, 309, 310 *and* 311*a*. *The last endd. with* :—

1653. 14 July. Certificate by John Clarke.

That £100 of the sum advanced by him is properly the money of John Lucas, of Bury, aforesaid. Clarke assigns it to him. *P.* ½. *Signed, sealed* (*seal*: *a skull and cross-bones, with legend "Memento mori"*), *&c., as before. Ibid.* 311.

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9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Lincoln, of Thetford, in Norfolk. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *each. One endd. S.P. Ireland* 290, 312 *and* 313.

Certificate by John Clark.

That Wm. Fiske, of Packingham, is deceased, and John Fiske, of Ratlesdene [Rattlesden, Suffolk?], is his reputed son and heir. Wm. Fiske made no disposition of his share in the Irish adventure in his last will. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 314.

9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. Fiske, of Pakenham, in Suffolk. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *One endd. Ibid.* 315 *and* 316.

Same. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from William Fiske, of Rattlesden, in Suffolk, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. One endd. Ibid.* 317 *and* 318.

1642. 19 July. One of same by same for £100, from Miles Burkitt, of Pittishall, in Northampton, minister. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 319.

1653. 15 July. Certificate by Andrewes.

John Grocer, of "Westhrope" [Westhorpe], in Suffolk, paid in £75 for the Irish adventure on 19 July, 1642. The receipt therefor he has lost. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) by* Andrewes. *Endd. Ibid.* 320.

1642. 9 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from John Grocer, of Westhorpe, in Suffolk. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 321.

11 and 18 March. 30 April. 15 July (2). Four receipts from same, in all for £300, paid in by Samuel Moody, of Bury St. Edmunds. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. One endd. Ibid.* 322, 323, 325 *and* 326.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. 20 March. Certificate by Andrewes.
Details regarding foregoing. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 324.

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1642. 11 and 18 March. 22 April. 30 April. 15 July. 19 July. 15 July. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £625, from John Bright, of Bury St. Edmunds. *Each about p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Four endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 1-5 *and* 8.

One of same by same for £100, from John Sparrow, of Rede, in Suffolk. *With note* that half of the sum belongs to his brother Philip. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 6.

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18 March. 19 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Hugh Grove, of Bury St. Edmunds. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. S.P. Ireland* 291, 7 *and* 9.

1651. 29 March. Indenture between Thos. Bright, of Thurston, in Suffolk, gent., and Thomas Fiske, of Rattlesden, in the same.

Bright, in consideration of £100 paid him by Fiske, assigns his £200 in the Irish adventure to Fiske. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Bright, *before witnesses. Ibid.* 10.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Thos. Bright, of Thurston, in Suffolk. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Ibid.* 11 *and* 12.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of John Fiske, of Packenham, in Suffolk, contained words devising his share in the Irish adventure to his executor, John Fiske. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Duling Salmon. *Ibid.* 13.

1651. 17 June. Assignment by John Parker, of London, draper.

His share in the Irish adventure was entered in the name of his brother Charles and himself, but really was only assignor's money. He assigns it to Nathaniell Andrewes, of London, Esq., with warranty against himself and Charles Parker. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 14.

Same. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

On 19 July, 1642, John and Charles Parker paid in £200 to the Irish adventure. Oath has been made before one of the Masters of the Chancery that the receipt therefor has been lost. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed before a witness. Endd. Ibid.* 15.

1642. 15 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from John Blakestone, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, M.P. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 16 *and* 17.

1647. 20 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of Nov., 1647, for £300 from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$.. *Endd. Ibid.* 18.

164$\frac{7}{8}$. 15 Jan. Receipt by the same for £150, from Alderman Thos. Andrewes, being one-fourth of the sum formerly adventured by Blakestone, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 19.

1652. 23 April. Indenture made between Susanna Blackiston, widow and executrix of the late John Blackiston of Newton, Durham, and John, son and heir of the said Blackiston, of the one part, and Thos. Andrewes and Stephen Estwick, Alderman of London, creditors of the said late John and trustees for his other creditors who are named in the schedule hereto.

Susanna Blackiston and John Blackiston, jun., assign the share of £750 of their late father and husband to Andrewes and Estwick, in part payment of the debt owed by the late John to Estwick, Andrewes and those for whom they are trusted. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$ (*large parchment*). *Signed by the assignors before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 21.

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Schedule to foregoing.

Showing the amounts owed by the late John Blackiston to Philip, Lord Wharton; Thomas Atkins and John Dethicke, aldermen; Thos. Andrewes, alderman, and Thos. Vincent; Stephen Estwick, alderman, and Saml. Lee; Col. Thos. Player, John Lamott, Esq., and partners, Abraham Chambers, Esq., executor of the will of ——— Monox, widow, deceased; Robert Sweet; George Prowse and Arthur Wroth, executors of Martin Pindar, deceased; Nathaniel Cock, Rowland Witherington. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *S.P. Ireland* 291, 20.

1642. 31 March. 7 and 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £800, from Richard Waring of London, grocer. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 22 *to* 24.

1646. 1 May. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £200 from same, "citizen and grocer." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 25.

1642. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £550 from Samuel Langham of London, grocer. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 29 *and* 30.

31 March. 19 July. Three receipts by the same, in all for £600, from Richard and Robert Smith of London, grocers. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 26, 27 *and* 28.

1653. 25 Nov. Indenture of Agreement between Robert and Richard Smith, grocers of London, of the one part, and George Clerke, of London, merchant, of the other part.

In consideration of £600 paid them by George Clerke they assign him their share in the Irish adventure. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses, as above. Ibid.* 31.

1642. 19 July. Memorandum by Wm. Underwood.

He has received £100 from Thos. Cock, citizen and salter of London, for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 32.

Certificate by John Cocke, of Threadneedle Street, and Elizabeth Higham, executrix of the same.

That he is the eldest son and heir of John Cock, deceased, and that his father did not leave his share [in the Irish adventure] away from him. *P.* ½. *Signed by both certifiers. Ibid.* 33.

7 April. 1 and 15 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Robert Hales, of Alvescott, or Alscott, in Oxfordshire, in all for £1,200. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 34 *to* 36.

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13 Sept. Assignment by Geo. Foxcroft, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share of £200 to Arthur Squibb, of Westminster, gentleman. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 37.

1642. 8 March. 16 March. 7 June. 8 Aug. 26 Nov. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Richard Hill, of London, draper, of Cheapside. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 38-40, 42 *and* 43.

1653. 13 July. Certificate by John Hunt.

Wm. Hull is the only surviving son of Richard Hull, of the parish of Mary Magdalene, Milk Street, London. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Hunt, *with a note* that he lies at the sign of the *Bear*, in Cheapside. *Ibid.* 41.

1649. 23 July. Assignment by Wm. Hull, merchant, and Margery Hull, widow, executors of the Will of Richard Hull, as aforesaid.

They assign their lot to John Foxcroft for consideration. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 44.

1649. 30 July. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

Patrick Bamford, of London, merchant-tailor, subscribed £100 for the Irish adventure in 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 45.

1654. 21 June. Assignment by Patrick Bamford, of London, merchant-tailor.

Assigning his share of £100 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Kilkenny [West], co. Westmeath, to Dame Jane Wharton, wife of Philip, Lord Wharton. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 *parchment. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

1653. July. Certificate by Andrewes.

George Henley, of London, merchant, subscribed in 1642 £900 for the Irish adventure for himself and his brother Robert and his brother John Maynard. Maynard has made oath that the receipt for £300 is lost, and that he has not aliened it. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 47.

16 July. Deposition by John Watson, citizen and draper of London.

He knew the late George Henley and the present George, his son. He believes this man to be the eldest son of his father. He is acknowledged to be so by his family and his uncle Maynard. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 48.

1642. 26 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300, from Wm. Pennoyer, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 49.

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9 July. Assignment by Pennoyer, as above.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Hales, of London, merchant, for consideration. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 291, 50.

1642. 19 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Wm. Hobson, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 52 *and* 53.

1647. 17 July. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 51.

1642. 19 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Wm. White of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 54 *and* 55.

1643. 16 Nov. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from James Russell, of Coleman Street, draper. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 56.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Mary Shakespeare, "of the Strand, near London," widow. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 57 *and* 58.

1654. 11 Oct. Oath by Nathaniel Walter, of Fleet Street, London, sadler.

He well knew John Shakespeare, late of the parish of Paul's, in Covent Garden, deceased, and son of Mary Shakespeare, widow, deceased. Shakespeare was before his death married to Margaret Edwards, by whom he had no issue. The said John Shakespeare was at the same time reputed the husband of another wife, by whom he had issue one son. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Followed by—*

1654. 12 Oct. Memorandum by Same and Samuel Beavan.

They certify the above facts to be true and that Ellen Milburne, wife of John Milburne, of Clement Danes, in Middlesex, bit-maker, is the only daughter of Mary Shakespeare aforesaid, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *In all, p.* 1. *Signed by* Beavan and Waller, *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 59.

19 Oct. Certificate by Wm. Clarke, register of Bride's parish, London.

John Shakespeare and Margaret Edwards were married in Bride's Church, London, by licence on 31 May, 1631. Mr. Hunt was minister. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.), and with note* that Mary Shakespeare did not leave her Irish adventure by her will. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 60.

24 Oct. Certificate by Henry Walker, of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, and Samuel Beavan, now dwelling in St. Bride's parish.

Margaret, the first wife of John Shakespeare, who was married to him in May, 1631, at the parish church of Bride's, London, is now living in the parish of Ethelborow [St. Ethelburga], Bishopsgate Street. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed. Ibid.* 61.

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13 Oct. Certificate by Thomas Weaver, register of St. Margaret's Parish, Westminster.

John Shakespeare and Judith Whitaker were married on 1 Sep., 1645, in St. Margaret's Parish Church, Westminster. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*) *S.P. Ireland* 291, 61*a*.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Alexander Jackson, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 62.

1643. 12 Sept. 1645. 4 Nov. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £100, from Wm. Thornbury, of St. Olave's, Hart Street, London, gent. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 63 *and* 64.

165⅘. 5 March. Agreement by Richard Broomer, of London, lorimer; William Miller, citizen and lorimer of the same, and Wm. Leggatt, of London, leatherseller.

Miller has been allowed a certain share lately adventured by John Hind, and this lot and that of the others have fallen in the barony of Portnehinch, Queen's Co. They agree to take one certificate from the Committee for all these lots. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 65.

1642. 28 March. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Broomer, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 66 *and* 67.

1654. 20 May. Assignment by Thos. Hubbert, of Theobalds, Herts.

As assignee of the share in the Irish adventure of Abraham Woodroffe, of Wapping, which has fallen in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, he assigns that lot to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 68.

165⁰⁄₁. 12 March. Assignment by Woodroffe, as above.

Assigning his share of £50, in consideration of £50 received, to Hubbert, as above. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Followed by—*

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from Woodroffe, as above. *P.* ½, *on back of foregoing. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 70 *and* 71.

30 April (2). 19 July (2). Four receipts by same, in all for £200, from Richard Allen, of London, grocer. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 69, 72, 73 *and* 75.

28 March. 1 June. 2 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £100, and £1 4*s.* 6*d.* allowed as interest for rebate, from Richard Ashurst, of London, draper. *P.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 74, 76 *and* 77.

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13 June. Agreement between Sir Wm. Allaenson, or Allenson, of York, Kt., late M.P., and Richard Tighe, of Dublin, alderman.

For consideration, Sir William Allenson assigns to Tighe his share of £150 in the Irish adventure, which was one-fourth part of the £600 advanced by Thos. Eden, Doctor in Law, and which is raised to £900 in value, and has fallen in the barony of Ballybrett, King's Co. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 78.

1647/8. 15 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers of Nov., 1647, for £150, from Allaenson, as above. *P.* 1. *Endd. with note* that Sir Wm. elects to have his lands in Munster, &c. *Ibid.* 79.

1649. 12 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums received by Walter White, late sheriff of Exeter, from Edward Anthony which, in receipts of 28 May and 16 July, 1642, are stated to have been sums subscribed by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, were, in fact, the property of Anthony, and he may enjoy and dispose of them. *P.* ¾. *Endd. with seal of the city. Ibid.* 80.

1642. 8 April. 28 June. 16 July. Three receipts by Walter White, as above, in all for £100, from Edward Anthony, of the city and county of Exeter, goldsmith. *In all, p.* ⅔, *certified as accurate by* Richard Saunders, Adam Bennett, and Richard Evans, the Committee of Parliament for the City of Exeter. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 81.

1645. 18 Aug. Certificate by Walter White.

Anthony subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure, £100 in his own name and £100 in that of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *P.* ¼. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 82.

1642. 28 May. 16 July. Two receipts by White, in all for £100, for the Irish adventure, paid in by Edward Anthony, on behalf of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 84.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Anthony, as above.

Assigning to Wm. Hawkins, of London, the share of £100 which he advanced for the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *P.* ¼. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 83.

Extract by Duling Salmon from the last Will of Thomas May, of London.

Thomas May, citizen and clothworker of London, by his last will left to his grandson, Benjamin Atkins, the youngest son of his daughter, Margaret Atkins, all his real and personal estate, provided that Benjamin, upon becoming 21 years old, shall pay to his brothers, Thos., John and Joseph, such sum as shall amount to the full fourth part of his estate.

Other details. Will dated 15 Jan. and proved 10 Nov., 1657. *Pp.* 1½. *Endd. Ibid.* 84 *and* 85.

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19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from May, as above. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 291, 86.

Note by Wm. Tibbs on the Will of Wm. Strode, of Devon, gentleman.

The will, dated 4 July, 1654, gave no bequest of any money lent for land in Ireland. Strode made Sir Edward Barkham, Kt. and Bt., his executor, and gave him the residue of his estate. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 87.

19 April. 10 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 17 Feb. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Wm. Strode, Stroud, or Strowd, Esq., M.P., Sir Edward Barkham and others. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 88–91.

1642. 20 April. 18 July. 20 Oct. 164⅔. 18 Jan. Four receipts by same, in all for £200, from Thomas Briggs, of London, merchant. *P.* ⅔ *each, all endd. Ibid.* 92–95.

1642. 25 March. 30 April. 25 June. 19 July (2). Five receipts by the same, in all for £500, from Abraham Babington, of London, draper. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 96–100.

165¾. 16 March. Agreement between Abraham Babington, as above, and Thomas Vincent, of Peckham, in Surrey, Esq.

Babington, for consideration, assigns his £500 in the Irish adventure to Vincent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 101.

1653. 12 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Overington Blunden [Blundell], of St. Saviour's, Southwark, whitster, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure on 28 Mar., 1642. No receipt was given therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 102.

1642. 12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Blunden [Blundell], as above. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 103.

1643. 7 Aug. 28 Sept. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £32 10*s.*, from Blundell, as above. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. with note that the writer has been a "benifacore" to certain persons and is to be remembered by them when the time comes. Ibid.* 104, 105 *and* 106.

1653. 12 July. Deposition by Wm. Heather, of Southwark, tailor, and John Knight, of Southwark, shoemaker.

Overington Blunden, of Southwark, whitster, is the eldest son and heir of O. Blunden, of same, gentleman, deceased. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* R. Aylett. *Ibid.* 108.

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12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the agreement between the King and Parliament for £200, from Thomas Brightwell, of London, bowyer. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 107.

19 July. Two receipts by same, each for £200, from John Lane and Thos. Hussey, jun., both of London, grocers. *P.* ½ *each, and each endd. with an assignment dated* 18 *Oct.*, 1649. *By one of these Lane assigns his interest in the receipt on which the assignment is endorsed to Hussey, and by the other Hussey assigns similarly to Lane. The assignments signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 109, 109*a*, 110 *and* 110*a*.

30 April. Receipt by same for £200, from Thos. Brightwell. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 112.

31 March. 19 July. 18 Oct. 164⅔. 20 Jan. Four receipts by the same, in all for £700, from Thomas Brightwell, Thomas Hussey, jun., and John Lane, grocer. *P.* ⅔ *each, three endd. Ibid.* 111, 113, 114 *and* 115.

1643. 27 July. 13 Oct. Two of same from the Treasurers, of July, 1643, in all for £153 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Brightwell. *P.* ⅓ *each, both endd. Ibid.* 116 *and* 117.

1644. 2 April. Assignment by Benjamin Potter, citizen and saddler of London.

Recites an indenture of lease dated 22 Feb., 163⅜, between Thomas Potter, citizen and sadler of London, and assignor of one part, and, of the other, James Cocks, citizen and merchant tailor, and Elizabeth, now his wife, but then known as Elizabeth Blenckarne widow, daughter of Thomas Potter and lately wife of John Blenckarne, citizen and carpenter of London, deceased. This lease provided that £20 out of the £50 rent reserved therein should go towards raising portions for John and Elizabeth Blenckarne, children of the said Elizabeth Cocks, and the survivor of them, and that the remainder should be spent on their education, these sums being spent at the discretion of their mother. One of these children—Elizabeth—is since dead, and the assignor has by direction and appointment of Elizabeth Cocks and with approbation of James Cocks, paid in £50 of the said money to the Irish adventure. The receipts for this sum are made out to Potter, but are for the use of the survivor of the children.

Potter now, at the request of James and Elizabeth, and for consideration given by them, assigns them this share for the use and behoof of John Blenckarne. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 118.

1642. 19 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Potter, as above. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 119 *and* 120.

Note by W. Tibbs.

He has perused the last will of Wm. Fletcher, of Mitcham, in Surrey, dated 1 Dec., 1653, and proved 14 Jan., 165¾. It contains

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no bequest of his Irish adventure. Wm. Fletcher, of Mitcham, is the eldest son and heir of the said Wm. Fletcher. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs, *and with note* that Wm. Fletcher the elder was free of the company of clothiers. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 121.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Wm. Fletcher, of London, clothworker. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 122.

Same. Same by same for £75 from Thomas Harris, of London, grocer. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 123.

April 5. April 6. 28 June. Three of same by the same, in all for £475, from Thomas Hutchins or Hutchings, of London, merchant. The receipt of 5 April mentions also the names of Thomas Harris, Wm. Fletcher and John Parrott. *P.* ⅔, *p.* ⅔ *and p.* ¼. *The last of these three receipts is endorsed on the back of the first. Ibid.* 124, 125 *and* 124*a*.

Note by Tibbs.

Thomas Hutchins, of the parish of St. Helens, Bishopsgate Street, London, and citizen and merchant-tailor of London, by his last will dated 21 April, 1646, and proved 26 March, 1647, provided that the whole of his estate "in any part of the world" should be divided into twelve equal parts, and disposed them among his nephews, Edward, John, Thos. and Wm. Bushell, and his nieces, Debora and Mary Bushell, his niece Alice Madox, and his friend, Mr. Humfry Ford. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 126.

1654. Assignment by Thos. Harris, of London, grocer.

1 Nov. He assigns £100, being part of a sum of £600 subscribed for the Irish adventure by Thomas Hutchinson, of London, merchant, Wm. Fletcher, of same, and himself—which £100 has been allotted to him by the Committee of Claims—to John Sweeting, of London, merchant. The lot has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, co. Westmeath. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 127.

165⁰⁄₁. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

21 Jan. Joseph Brand, of London, salter, advanced £200 in March and July, 1642, for the Irish adventure. The receipts therefor have been lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 128.

1642. 19 April. 30 April. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,300, from Steven Beale, of London, leatherseller. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 129–132.

16 April. 9 July. 20 Sep. 164⅔. 11 Jan. Four receipts by the same, in all for £25, from Benjamin King, of Flamstead, in Hertfordshire. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 133–136.

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15 July. Certificate by Wm. Beale.

The £337 10*s.* which he paid into the Chamber of London properly belongs to Richard Beale, of Loose, in Kent, Esq., and Wm. therefore assigns them to him. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 137.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £337 10*s.* from Wm. Beale, of London, merchant [*see foregoing*]. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 138.

20 April. 11 July. 19 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £30, from Samuel Stone, of London, brewer. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 139–141.

1654. 9 May. Assignment by John Siblay, or Sybly, of Studham, in Bedford.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Thomas Wallis, of Hadstok [Hadstock], in Essex, clerk. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 142.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Siblay, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 144.

1643. 9 Aug. 2 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £6 5*s.*, from George Sadler, of London, merchant. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 143 *and* 145.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from same. *P.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 146 *and* 146*a*.

165¾. 21 March. Engagement by Wm. Collins.

He engages himself to Oliver, Lord Protector, &c., to accept his certificate from the Committee for claims for lands in Ireland for himself and not to transfer it. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 147.

20 March. Assignment by George Sadler.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, for consideration, to Wm. Collins, citizen and woodmonger of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 148.

1656. 15 April. Assignment by George Parker, of London, merchant.

He is eldest son of Sarah Parker, deceased, and has been assigned by the Committee £200 of the share of £1,000 invested by Thomas Stock, George Parker and himself. He assigns this to Wm. Currer, citizen and haberdasher of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 149.

1656.

Note by Andrewes on the above subscription.

Sarah Parker is widow and late wife of Reynold Parker. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 291, 150.

1654. 13 April. Deposition by Grace Parker, of Kathrine Cree Church [London], spinster, *æt.* 61.

George Parker, who also advanced money for the Irish adventure, died without issue. Mary, wife of George Burrall and daughter of Thos. the brother of Geo. Parker, is his only heir. *P.* ¾. *Certified by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 151.

1654. 26 May. Assignment by Thos. Parker, senr., and Thos. Parker, jun., haberdashers.

Recites that George Parker, as above, died without issue. His Irish land came rightly to Mary (*see foregoing*), the wife of George Burrell [or Burrall], of Edmonton, Middlesex, she being the daughter of Thomas Parker, late of Long Melford, in Suffolk, yeoman. Mary and George Burrell by assignment, dated 8 April, 1654, assigned their share to the present assignors. These assignors now hereby assign it to George Clark, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 152.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of George Parker, of London, deceased, dated 2 Jan., and proved 29 Jan., 164⅚, contains no devise of his Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 153.

8 April. Assignment of Mary and George Burrell to the Parkers.

As mentioned in last but one. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 154.

Certificate by Duling Samon.

He finds no will of Sarah Parker, late of London, widow, in the Registry of the Office of Probate of Wills and Granting of Letters of Administration. Letters of administration were taken out by Thos. Joy, of London, linen-draper, who administered as a creditor. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 155.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Thomas Stock, of London, grocer. *P.* ½ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 156 *and* 161.

31 March. 18 July. Two of same by same, in all for £700, from same and from George and Sarah Parker. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 157 *and* 159.

165¾. 18 March. Deposition by Thos. Parker, sen., of London.

Sarah Parker, late of London, widow, subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure. She left no will, and George Parker, now living, is her reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 158.

1642. 25 March. 18 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Kathrine Smyth, of Hackney, widow. *P.* ⅔. *Each endd., fastened together. Ibid.* 160.

1654. 4 April. Assignment by Kathrine Smyth, as above.

Assigning her share, as above, to Wm. Molins, citizen and cordwainer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 161*a*.

1642.

29 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from George Snell, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½ *each.* *S.P. Ireland* 291, 162–3.

8 April. 27 May. 2 July. Three receipts by same, in all for £250, from Richard Sherbrooke, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅓ *each.* *Ibid.* 164, 166 *and* 167.

1643. 14 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of 1643 for £25, from George Snell, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 165.

1653. 16 July. Certificate by Robert Hammon.

Ellen and Sarah White are the only daughters and co-heirs of Henry White, late of London, grocer. *P.* ¼. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 168.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Henry White, of London, grocer. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 169.

1653. 12 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

White paid in £12 10*s.* to the Irish adventure in March, 1642. He had no receipt therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd.* *Ibid.* 170.

1642. 20 April. 9 July. 5 Oct. 16 Dec. Four receipts by Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £80, underwritten by Robert Searle, of Honiton, in Devon, postmaster, and Christopher Searle, of London, dyer: They underwrote on 20 April, 1642, for this sum. One instalment of £20 is paid in by Nicholas Bromley. *In all, pp.* 1¼, *on two sheets.* *Ibid.* 171 *and* 172.

30 April. 9 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Christopher Searle. *P.* ¾ *each.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 173 *and* 174.

19 July. Receipt by same for £50, from John Swan, minister, of Denton, in Kent. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 175.

30 April. 19 July. 11 Oct. 24 Dec. Four receipts by the same, in all for £600, from Sir Wm. Strickland, Kt. and Bt., M.P. *Each about p.* ½, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 176–179.

1654. 10 Sep. Assignment by Edward Pateson, of Plymouth, in Devon.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Deece, to Barnabas Meere, citizen and draper of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 180.

1642. 10 March. 30 May. 17 Aug. 10 Nov. Four receipts by Walter White, in all for £30, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Edward Pattison (Pateson), of Plymouth. *On three sheets, two endd.* *Ibid.* 181, 182 *and* 183.

1653.

5 July. Assignment by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Assigning their interest in the above-named £30 to Edward Pattison, or Pateson, as aforesaid. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of Exeter. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 184.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Israel Scarlett, of Great St. Helen's Parish, London, by his will dated 25 Sept., 1651, bequeathed to his sons, Nathaniel and John, and to his daughter, Elizabeth, his share in the Irish adventure in equal shares. The will was proved 22 Oct., 1651. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 185.

1642. 9 April. 5 July. 8 Oct. 1643. 7 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Israel Scarlett, of London, basketmaker. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 186–189.

Extract from the Will of John Packer, of Shellingford, in Berks.

He bequeaths his share in the Irish adventure to his son, Philip, but upon conditions "that he employ one half of the clear yearly profits thereof in bringing up Irish children in the true Protestant religion; which I charge him to settle to that use in the firmest manner he can, that God may bless his estate the better." *P.* ½. *Followed by—*

Deposition by Philip Packer of the Middle Temple.

This is the last will of John Packer, and no other conditions were imposed. *P.* ¼, *in all, p.* ¾, *with note that the oath was taken* 18 *July,* 1653, *before* Edward Eltonhed, Esq., *one of the Masters of the Chancery. Ibid.* 190.

1653. 18 July. Certificate of Alderman Thos. Andrewes.

He finds upon search that John Packer, of Westminster, Esq., and John Browne, clerk of the House of Peers, subscribed in May, 1642, £1,200. The receipts for the sums paid in by them are lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 191.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £180, from Anthony Belfield, of Studham, in Hertford. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 192.

1652. 30 July. Certificate by Alderman Thos. Andrewes.

On 28 Mar., 1642, Thos. Babington, of Southwark, haberdasher, advanced £25 for the Irish adventure. No receipt was given at the time. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 193.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £75, from Thos. Babington, near Aldgate, London. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 194.

1649.

21 June. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

Theophilus Bidulph, or Biddulph, of London, grocer, in April and July, 1642, advanced £200 for the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 195.

1653. Assignment by Theophilus Biddulph, as above.

12 July. £100 of the £200 which he advanced for the Irish adventure, properly belonged to Roger Birkenhead. Roger is deceased, and Theophilus, his son, is his heir. In consideration of co-partnership with him, Biddulph assigns the share of £100 to Birkenhead. *P.* ¼. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 196.

16 July. Certificate by Thos. Gower and Theophilus Biddulph.

Roger Birkenhead, late of London, deceased, haberdasher, did not devise his land in Ireland by will. Theophilus Birkenhead, now living, is his only son and heir. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 197.

1654. Assignment by Wm. Ashwell, of London, merchant.

8 June.

Assigning the share in the Irish adventure, owned by himself, Henry Box and Thos. Kerrage,[1] to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. The Committee have allowed him the whole of the share which he so assigns. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 198.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

15 July. King and Parliament for £300, from the Worshipful Henry Box, of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 200.

13 July. Receipt by same for £300, from Wm. Ashwell, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 201.

4 April. Same by same for same sum, from Henry Box, Thos. Kerag [Kerridge] and Wm. Ashwell. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 199.

1649. Indenture tripartite between Ashwell, Box and Kerridge, of

19 June. London.

The £1,200 which they invested in the Irish adventure is hereby agreed by each of them to be for themselves, their heirs, &c., to belong to each of them in several portions of £400, and that it shall not be deemed to be a "chattel of joint possession." No right of survivorship exists in any one of them. Each of them has a "partable estate in severalty," to the extent of £400. Either party will, if he receive any money for the account of all three, pay over to the other two their share thereof within ten days. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 202.

1654. Assignment by Peter Cole, of St. Martin's, Ironmonger Lane,

24 May. London, clothier.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure which has fallen in the barony of O'Neilland, co. Armagh, to Edward Sutton, of Burcester, *alias* Bister [Bicester], in Oxfordshire. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 203.

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(1) In this, as in other cases, the various spellings of the name in the MS. are reproduced in the Calendar.

1643.

10 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from Cole, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 204.

1642. 8 April. 27 May. 2 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Thos. Cole, merchant-tailor. *P.* ½, *each one endd. Ibid.* 205–6–7.

Extract from the last Will of Richard Coish, citizen and skinner of London, dated 27 Sept., 1650, and proved 23 Jan., 165½.

He bequeathed any profits which might come from his share in the Irish adventure for the first year after they should arise to a certain purpose aforesaid [*not appearing in the extract*], and afterwards in equal shares to his son, Elisha, and his daughter, Mary. His wife, however, to have one-third for her life. *P.* ¾. *Examined and certified by* W. Tibbs. *Ibid.* 208.

1642. 11, 22 and 29 March. 30 April. 15 July. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £240, from R. Coish, as above. *Each about p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 209-214.

1643. 20 July. 11 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £60, from same, "of Watling St., London." *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 215 *and* 216.

1649. 21 July. Assignment by John Eaton, of London, merchant-tailor.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to James Cox, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 217.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John Eaton, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 218 *and* 218*a*.

Same. Same by same for £50 from James Cocks, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 219 *and* 220.

8 April. 27 May. 2 July. Three of same by same, in all for £600, from Sir John Evelyn, of Godstone, in Surrey, Kt. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 221–3.

1653. 30 Dec. Indenture between Sir John Evelyn, as above, and Thomas Vincent, of Peckham, in Surrey.

Sir John assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Vincent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 224.

1642.

4 April. 2 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Daniel Enderby, of Staines, in Middlesex, tanner. *About p.* ¾ *each; one underwritten with a note that this is part of the* £2,000 *subscribed in the House of Commons by* Sir Gilbert Gerard, Bart., *and one endd. with a note that* —— *delivered the* £50 *to* Mr. Wickes *and left the notes therefor with* Mr. Thos. Wickes *at the* Flying Horse *in Paternoster Row. S.P. Ireland* 291, 225, 226 *and* 228.

19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from the Worshipful John Boys and Thos. Eyres, of London. *P.* ¾ *each, and each endd. with assignment dated Sept.* 6, 1649, *by* Boys *of his interest in each to* Eyres, or Ayres. *The assignments signed, &c., in usual form. Ibid.* 227 *and* 229.

4 April. 4 and 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £50, from Robert Greenwell, of London, grocer. *P.* ⅓ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 230–232.

1647. 3 Nov. Assignment by Greenwell, as above.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Wm. Farre, citizen and grocer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 233.

1642. 29 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £400, from John Bancks, Charles Doyley, Nathaniel and Thos. Wickes, John Rothewell, Robert Barrett, Luke Fawne, Wm. Boulton, James Clarke, Anthony Dowse, Daniel Enderby and [Robt.] Child. *P.* ½. *Endd. with list of sums apportioned to the various subscribers. Ibid.* 234.

1653. 5 Nov. Assignment by Luke Fawne, citizen and stationer of London.

Assigning his interest in the investment described in the foregoing, and also his interest as assignee of Elizabeth Evelyn, of Kingston, in Surrey—for which lots have fallen in the co. Waterford—to Wm. Shippey, citizen and weaver of London. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 235.

Assignment by John Rothwell or Rothewell, citizen and stationer of London.

Assigning his share in the adventure described in the last document but one to Wm. Shippey, citizen and weaver of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 236.

165¾. Feb. 22. Note by Tibbs.

The will of the late Nathaniel Wickes, dated 17 Dec., 1638 [*sic*], and proved 4 Jan., 164¾, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Followed by*—

1653.

19 Aug. Certificate by Thos. Wickes.

John Wickes is the eldest son and heir of Nathaniel Wicks, deceased. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 291, 237.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the agreement between the King and Parliament for £25, from Daniel Enderby, of Staines, in Middlesex. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with note that this is* Enderby's *last payment towards the* £800 *mentioned in S.P. Ireland* 291, 234. *Endd. Ibid.* 239.

Same. Same by same for same, from Nathaniel Weeks [Wicks], of London, clothworker. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 238.

Same. Same by same for £25, from Luke Fawne, of London, stationer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 242.

Same. Same by same for same, from John Rothwell, also of London, stationer. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 240.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. 10 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrews.

Robert Child subscribed £50 for the Irish adventure on 19 July, 1642. His receipt is away in the country. *P.* $\frac{1}{6}$. *Ibid.* 241.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from Wm. Bolton, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 243.

Same. Same by same for same from Thomas Weeks, of London, clothworker. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 244.

Same. Same by same for £50, from Jas. Clarke, of Staines, mercer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 245.

Same. Same by same for £25, from Robert Barrett, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 246.

Same. Same by same for £50, from Charles Doyley, of London, tallow chandler. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 247.

1654. 27 Sep. Assignment by Robert Barratt, citizen of London.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, in Waterford, to John

1654.

Nettles, of Youghal, in Ireland, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 248.

Same. Same by Charles Doyley, citizen and tallow chandler of London.

Assigning his interest in the adventure mentioned in *S.P. Ireland* 291, 234, which has yielded lands in Coshmore and Coshbride, to Nettles, as in foregoing. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 249.

Same. Same by Thomas Wicks, citizen and clothworker of London.

Assigning his interest in the same to Nettles. Covenants as in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 250.

1642. 9 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Elizabeth Evelyn, of Kingston-on-Thames. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 251.

19 April. Receipt by Geo. Gildon, sub-sheriff, for £25, from same, for reducing the Irish rebels. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 252.

1649. 14 Dec. Assignment by Elizabeth Evelyn, as above.

Assigning her share of £100 in the Irish adventure to Luke Fawne, "bookseller in St. Paul's Churchyard at the Sign of the *Parrot*." The consideration is £25. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 253.

1642. 28 March. 20 April. 6 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Francis Finch, of London, clothworker. *P.* ⅓, *p.* ⅜ *and p.* ¼. *Ibid.* 254, 254*a and* 255.

19 July. One of same by same for £50, from Vallentine Fige or Figg, of London. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 256.

18 and 28 March. 22 June. Three of same by same, in all for £100, from Figg, as aforesaid, apothecary, and William Balam, of Lincoln's Inn, gent. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 257–9.

18 July. Two of same by same, in all for £550, from [Alderman] Thomas Foote, of London, grocer. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. with note that* £700 *is allowed to* Alderman Thos. Foote *and* £150 *to* Samuel Langham. *Ibid.* 260 *and* 261.

31 March. Same by same for £300, from Foote and Langham, grocers, of London. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 262.

165¾. 19 Jan. Indenture between Alderman Foote and George Clark, Clarke, or Clerke, of London, merchant.

In consideration of £700 paid him, Foote assigns to Clark his interest in £700 in the Irish adventure, for which he and Samnel Langham subscribed. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 263.

1653.

21 July. Indenture between Samuel Langham, citizen and grocer of London, and Clark, as aforesaid.

Langham assigns his interest to Clark in terms similar to those in foregoing document. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 264.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. 18 Oct. 164⅔. 10 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Goddard, of London, Doctor of Physic. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 265–268.

1642. 25 April. 12 July. Two of same by same, in all for £600, from Charles Lloyd, of London, merchant. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 269 *and* 270.

4 April. 2 and 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £600, from Sir Gilbert Gerrard, Bt., M.P., of Harrow, in Middlesex. *P.* ⅓ *each. Ibid.* 271, 272 *and* 274.

24 March. 1 July. Two of same by same, in all for £300, from John Greensmith, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 273 *and* 275.

1653. 15 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Christopher Gibbs, of London, clothier, subscribed £50 for lands in Ireland on 28 Mar., 1642, and paid in £12 10*s.* on that day. For this sum no receipt was given. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 276.

1642. 13 and 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Gibbs, as above. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 277 *and* 279.

20 April. 16 and 18 July. Three of same by same, in all for £200, from Richard Graves, of Lincoln's Inn, gentleman. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 278, 280 *and* 281.

1 April. 12 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £600, from Sir Jacob Garrad, or Garett, Kt. and Alderman. *P.* ⅔ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 282 *and* 283.

$16\frac{49}{50}$.

6 Feb. Assignment by Sir Henry Rowe, Kt., and Thomas Mann, of London, Esq.

They assign their shares in the Irish adventure to Thos. Gower, of London, grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 284.

1642. 16 April. 8 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Sir Henry Rowe and Thos. Man or Mann. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 285–287.

29 March. 18 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from Christopher Whichcott, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 288 *and* 289.

1653. 12 Aug. Assignment by James Gould, of Exeter.

Assigning his share to William Barker, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 290.

1642. 9 May. 5 July. Two receipts by Walter White, sheriff of the city and county of Exeter, in all for £200 paid in by Gould, as aforesaid, for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 291.

31 March. 1 April. 30 June. 16 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £60, from Henry Grant, of London, draper. *Each about p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 292–296.

1643. 29 July. 14 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £15, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Ibid.* 297 *and* 298.

1654. 4 April. Assignment by Henry Grant, of London, draper.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the barony of Navan, co. Meath, to Philip Tandy, of Westminster, gent. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 229.

1642. 25 March. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from James Houbelon, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 300 *and* 301.

One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 302.

19 April. 11 and 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Jonathan Goddard, of London, physician. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 303-5.

1643.

7 and 16 Aug. and 164$\frac{3}{4}$ 3 Jan. — Three of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, two endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 306, 307 *and* 308.

1642. 19 and 28 March. 18 and 19 July. — Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Hawes, of London, mercer. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, three endd. Ibid.* 309, 310, 311 *and* 312.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 23 Jan. — Assignment by John Hatt, of London, gent.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, to Hierome Sankey, of Westminster, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 313.

28 March. 12 and 13 July. — Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from John Hatt, of London, gentleman. *Each about p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 314–316.

1653. 4 July. — Assignment by Richard Pigott, citizen and grocer [of London].

Assigning his share of £300 to his son-in-law, John Hatt, of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 317.

1642. 12 and 18 July. — Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Piggott, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 318 *and* 319.

1654. 28 June. — Assignment by John Hynde, of London, merchant-tailor.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the barony of Portnahinch, Queen's Co., to Frances Bigge, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 320.

16 Sep. — Same by Francis Bigg, as above.

Assigning the lot which he has received from Hynde to Wm. Miller, citizen and lorimer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 321.

1642. 28 March. 16 July. — Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Hynde, or Hinde, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 322, 323.

1653. 14 July. — Assignment by Robert Houghton, of London, brewer.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Hawes, of London, mercer. Usual covenants. *Pp.* 1$\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 324.

1642. 18 July. — Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £400, from Houghton, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. with note of assignment. Ibid.* 325.

1643.

18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12, from Richard Higgins, of St. Thomas', Southwark, cordwainer. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 291, 327.

1642. 4 and 12 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *each. Ibid.* 326 *and* 328.

165½. 2 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.
On 28 Mar., 1642, Higgins paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure. He declares no receipt was given therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 330.

30 April. 7 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, one from "Richard Hutchinson of London, linen draper," the other from "Richard Hutchinson of London, iremonger." *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 329 *and* 331.

1643. 15 Sep. 10 Nov. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from "Richard Hutchinson of Maudlin's [St. Mary Magdalene's], Milk Street citizen and ironmonger London." *P.* ½ *each, both endd. and one underwritten "To lie in Munster." Ibid.* 332 *and* 333.

1642. 25 May. 12 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Edward Honiwood, Honywood, or Honeywood, of London, ironmonger. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 334 *and* 335.

1643. 10 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 336.

1653. 24 Aug. Indenture between Honeywood, as above, and George Clerk, of London, merchant.
In consideration of £125 Honeywood assigns his share, as shown in foregoing receipts to Clerk. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾ (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Honeywood *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 337.

Extract from the last Will of Wm. Dike, a young man, late of London, dated 18 Dec., 1645.

He instituted his sister Mary, the wife of Valentine Beale, in all his property situate at Bomsted, in Essex. He desires his executors to pay over all the annual profits of the estate to her, and that the profits be not seized by the creditors of Beale; and if an attempt is made to so seize them, they shall go, whenever the creditors desist, to the children of his sister Mary again. If Mary dies before her husband and leaves no children, the property to pass "without any detraction of trabellionicque" to Martin Dyke, testator's brother and, failing him, to his children. *P.* ½. *Certified by Tibbs with note that the will was proved* 10 *July*, 1646. *Ibid.* 338.

1642.

19 April.
19 July.

Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Dike, of London, "ironmonger," or "merchant." *P.* ½ *each. One endd. with note that* £100 *has been allowed to John Page as executor and feoffee in trust of the last will of Wm. Dike for the use of Mary, the wife of Valentine Beale. John Page is the only one of the four feoffees and executors of Wm. Dick's* [*Dike's*] *will, who was born in England. The others were all Dutchmen or born in Holland; so it is only made in the name of John Page. S.P. Ireland* 291, 339 *and* 340.

1650.
31 [*sic*] Sep.

Assignment of Daniel Lewes, citizen and merchant-tailor of London.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Michael Pendleton, of Westminster, in Middlesex, Esq. The assignment to be void if on Oct. 1, 1651, Lewes or his heirs pay £23 15*s.* 0*d.* to Pendleton at or in the dwelling-house of Christopher Durban, known by the name of the *Bell* Tavern, in Westminster. *P.* ⅔ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses and with note of oath* (*dated* 15 *July*, 1653), *by* Michael Pendleton, *that the sums have not been paid as mentioned in the proviso. Ibid.* 341.

1642.
19 and 28 March.
22 June.

Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Daniel Lewis [Lewes], of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅓ *each. Ibid.* 342-344.

1653.
16 July.

Certificate by Wm. Pitchford.

Richard Hodilow, goldsmith, is the only brother and heir of John Hodilow, of London, barber-surgeon. *P.* ¼. *Signed.* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 345.

1642.
29 March.
27 June.
19 July.

Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John and Richard Hodilow, of London. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 346-348.

19 July.

Same by same for £50 from Edward White, of Tamworth, mercer, per Geo. Day. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 349.

1653.
25 Aug.

Indenture of agreement between Geo. Peacock, of the town and port of Sandwich in Kent, merchant, and James Merick, of Kennington, in the same.

Nicholas Choute, or Chowte, late of Gray's Inn, in Middlesex, and Wm. Peacock, of the parish of St. Bartholemew's Exchange, painter-stainer, deceased, agreed by indenture dated 6 July, 1642, to pay in £200 to the Irish adventure before 20 July in that year, in order to obtain the benefits promised by Parliament to those who should pay in before that date. The sum was by agreement entered in the name of Peacock alone, to the end that the lands

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allotted upon it might be in one place. Nicholas Choute by his last will dated 22 Aug., 1642, appointed Philip, his brother, executor, and thereby appointed him the profits. Philip died intestate, and his widow Anne, took administration of his goods and chattels, and afterwards married James Merick, one of the parties hereto. Wm. Peacock is also deceased, and his part of the adventure is come to George his son, "who has very lately disposed thereof and taken in the said former subscription, and subscribed a new entrance for the sum only of £100 in his own name remaining in Grocers' Hall."

Peacock now for a full discharge of himself and his heirs and of the heirs, &c., of Wm. Peacock concerning the said adventure, assigns to Merick the aforesaid new adventure for £100. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by* Peacock *before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 291, 350.

13 Sept. Assignment by James Merick, as aforesaid.

Reciting the facts by which the adventure named in foregoing has come into his hands and assigning same to John Hurst, citizen and cook of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 351.

Certificate by Tibbs relating to the last will of Nicholas Chowte, of Gray's Inn.

The will, which was dated 22 Aug., 1642, and proved 20 April, 1650, bequeathed the profits of his adventure in Ireland, if any should arise, to his executors; out of such profit £100 to be paid to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of testator's sister, Masters, when she marries or attains the age of 21 years, whichever happens first. If the money adventured be lost, he shall pay her £50 at the times before stated. If she dies too young to receive this bequest, testator makes a similar bequest to Margaret, the oldest daughter of his executors or the oldest whom he then has living. *P.* 1. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 352.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from William Peacock, of London, painter-stainer. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 353.

1653. 18 May. Indenture of agreement between George Peacock, of Sandwich, in Kent, and John Maunsell, of Dublin, captain-lieutenant in the Lord General's lifeguard there.

George Peacock, to whom the share of his father, Wm. Peacock, has come, assigns same to Maunsell. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by Peacock before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 354.

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15 July. Ashhurst. Sir Robert Goodwin to his brother Benjamin at Streatham.

I acknowledge that £300 of the adventure is yours and due to you and your heirs. I hope you will treat me as justly as I treat you. "If you take this course you give away my part."

My brother Baker did in this manner for a small part of the adventure, and I told him it was very unjust, but he had an Act of Parliament to authorise him so to do. You ask for a warrant of your share from me and my heirs to you and yours without assignment or encumbrance; but, as you know, there is already an assignment of £150 of the £600 to my brother Baker. I shall be in London soon and will give you further satisfaction. My love to my mother and your wife. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*) *Add. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 1.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from John and Robert Goodwin, esquires, both members of the House of Commons. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 2 *and* 3.

1654. 27 Nov. Declaration by Benjamin Goodwin and Robert Goodwin, of Greensted [East Grinstead?], in Sussex.

The Committee for Claims have allowed to Benjamin £300, part of the £600 paid in by him and Robert Goodwin for the Irish adventure, and have allowed £150 to Robert Goodwin. They have also purchased a lot of £600 lying in the barony of Kilkenny [West] from Sir Thos. Dacres. They are content that a certificate be granted in their joint names for £1,050. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the parties. Endd. Ibid.* 4.

Declaration by Robert Goodwin, as above, and John Goodwin, of the Inner Temple, London.

They declare that half of their joint adventure of £600 is the proper money of Benjamin Goodwin, of Stretham [Streatham], in Surrey, and that they hold as trustees for him, and he shall have half the profits of this adventure. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by Jo. Goodwin only. Endd. Ibid.* 5.

1642. 16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £50, from Obadiah Wickes or Weekes, of Kingston-on-Thames. *P.* ¼ (*small*). *Ibid.* 7 *and* 10.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 6.

30 April. 16 July. Four receipts by same, in all for £100, from Joshua Woolnough, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 9, 10*a*, 11 *and* 12.

1644. 19 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same, *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 8.

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25 March. 18 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Woodhouse, of Chesson or Chesthunt [Cheshunt], in Herts. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 13-15.

26 March. 13 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from Nicholas Gregson, merchant-tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *each, on same sheet, and each endd. with assignment thereof (dated* 3 *July,* 1649) *to William Weston, of London, Esq. The assignments in usual form. In all, p.* $1\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 16.

25 March. 18 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £600, from Stephen White, of London, grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 17 *and* 18.

30 April. 19 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from Robert Rolleston, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 19 *and* 20.

$165\frac{3}{4}$. Assignment by Rolleston, as above.

18 March. Assigning his share, as above, which has fallen in the barony of O'Neilland, co. Armagh, to Wm. Collins, citizen and woodmonger of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 21.

1642. 19 April. 15 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Martin Simson or Simpson, of Okingham or Wokingham, in Berks. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, and each endd. with assignment thereof, dated* 23 *Feb.,* $165\frac{1}{2}$, *to Hugh Radcliffe, citizen and haberdasher of London. The assignments in usual form. In all, p.* $1\frac{1}{3}$ *each. Ibid.* 22, 23 *and* 24.

1643. 20 July. 1644. 14 Nov. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £12 10*s.* 0*d.*, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, and each endd. with assignments similar to, and of same date as, those endorsed upon the foregoing. Ibid.* 25 *and* 26.

1654. 18 April. Bond by Thomas Chewning, citizen and skinner of London.

He promises "Oliver, Lord Protector, &c.," to take a certificate from the Committee of Claims for £62 10*s.* assigned to him from his son-in-law, and not to transfer the same until further certificate be made and granted. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 27.

$165\frac{1}{2}$. Assignment by Radcliffe, as above.

23 March. The share of £12 10*s.* assigned to him by Martyn Simson, or Simpson, was bought with the proper money of Radcliffe's father-in-law, Thomas Chewning, citizen and skinner of London. Radcliffe assigns them to his father-in-law. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. with—*

Assignment by Chewning, dated 24 March, 1651.

He assigns the lot mentioned in the foregoing to this grandchild, Hugh Ratcliffe [Radcliffe], and his heirs, or failing them, to his

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grandchild John Radcliffe and his heirs, and failing him, to the heirs of the body of his daughter Radcliffe, and failing them, to the issue of the body of his daughter, Sumner, and, failing these, to himself to dispose of as he thinks fit. *In all, pp.* 1½. *S.P. Ireland* 292, 28.

165¾. 3 Feb. Assignment by Wm. Spurstowe, of Hackney, in Middlesex, D.D., son of the late Wm. Spurstowe, M.P.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in Co. Down, for consideration to Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 29.

1654. 1 Aug. Same by George Gill, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of Lecale, Co. Down, to Wm. Burman, of Ro ———, in Yorks. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 30.

2 May. Same by James Rand, citizen and apothecary of London (brother of Wm. Rand the younger).

As brother to William he assigns the lot allowed by the Committee of Claims to that brother, who is son and heir of James Rand, late of London, apothecary, deceased, to George Gill of London, merchant. It has fallen in the barony of Lecale, co. Down. The assignment is made for the better management of Wm. Rand the younger's estate in his absence. Usual covenants. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 31.

1 Aug. Same by Gill, as above.

Assigning half of his lot as *per* foregoing, to Sir Henry Tichborne, of Bewley, co. Louth. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 32.

1642. 7 April. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, and for £450 less £17 5*s.* interest from Wm. Spurstowe, M.P., and James Rand. *P.* ½ *each, the first endd. with—*

6 July. Receipt by same for £17 5*s.*, from Spurstowe, *and both endd. with—*

Draft assignment by Henry Spurstowe, as executor of Wm. Spurstowe, assigning his interest in this receipt, which is £300, to Elizabeth Rand, widow and executrix of James Rand. The assignments not signed or dated. *In all pp.* 1¼ *and p.* 1. *Ibid.* 33 *and* 34.

165¾. 14 March. Assignment by Thos. Rich, of London, schoolmaster.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Miles Corbett, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Parliament in Ireland. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 35.

1642. 24 March. 21 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Rich, of London, schoolmaster. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 36, 37 *and* 39.

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26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by same, in all for £100, from Godfrey Reeve. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *on same page. S.P. Ireland* 292, 38.

1654. 4 April. Assignment by Reeve, of Lime Street [London], citizen and baker.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen by lot in Stradbally, in the Queen's Co., to Robert Brereton, of "St. Olave's, Southwark, gentleman." Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 41.

30 May. Assignment by Brereton, "citizen and baker of London," of the above lot to Wm. Hiccoks, citizen and brewer of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Not endd. Ibid.* 40.

1 June. Assignment by Richard Benning, of London, linen draper.

Assigning to Daniel Hutchinson, of Dublin, alderman, a lot in the Irish adventure which has fallen in the barony of Navan, co. Meath, and which he has as assignee of Blunt Sadler, citizen and clothworker of London, who in turn had it as assignee of Sir Thomas Peyton. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 42.

1642. 22 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £400, from Sir Thos. Peyton, Bart. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 43.

1651. 28 April. Assignment by Peyton, "of Knolton in Kent," to Blunt Sadler, as aforesaid [*see above, No.* 42]. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 44.

1 Oct. Assignment of same from Sadler to James Yeats, citizen and goldsmith, of London, and Richard Benning, citizen and merchant tailor of same. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *As above,* 45.

2 Oct. Indenture of agreement between Benning and Yate, Yeates, or Yates, as aforesaid.

They recite the foregoing instruments, whereby they have obtained a share in the Irish adventure. The sum paid therefore was the property of both of them in equal portions, and they shall own the profits in severalty. There shall be no right of survivorship, and the survivor of the two will assign the proper portion to the heirs of the partner who shall first die, in such manner as he who shall first die shall have by his last will appointed, or as counsel shall advise. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed by Benning before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

1642. 18 April. 6 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Edward Meredith and Wm. Rogers, of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 47, 48, 49.

19 July. One of same for £10 from Thos. Jenner, of London, grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 50.

1643.
23 Aug.
1644.
27 July.

Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £2 10*s.* 0*d.*, from Thos. Jenner, of London, grocer. *P.* ¾. *S.P. Ireland* 292, 51 *and* 52.

1642.
29 March.
27 June.
18 July.

Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from John Kendrick, of London, grocer. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 53–55.

165¾.
Jan.

Assignment by John King, of Abbot's Langley, clerk.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. The handwriting certified by Edmund Page on* 19 *Jan.*, 165¾. *Ibid.* 56.

1642.
19 July.

Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £50, from John King, minister of Abbot's Langley. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 57.

1643.
21 Aug.

Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £4 3*s.* 4*d.* from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. with note that John King and Walter Price, of Langley aforesaid, subscribed jointly, formerly for* £100. *Other details. Ibid.* 58.

1653.
10 Sep.

Assignment by King, as above.

Assigning his lot to Wm. Staines, doctor of physic. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 59.

16 July.

Certificate by John Hynde and Nathaniel Bunbury.

Nathaniel Overton, now in Ireland, is the eldest son and heir of Henry Overton, late of London, deceased. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.), and in Hynde's hand. Endd. Ibid.* 60.

1642.
28 March.
18 July.

Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Henry Overton, of London, stationer. *P.* ¾ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 61 *and* 63.

1643.
9 Aug.
and
undated.

Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £6 5*s.* 0*d.*, from same. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 62 *and* 64.

1642.
30 April.

Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £200, from Henry Whitaker, merchant. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 65.

29 March.
22 June.
19 July.

Three receipts by the same, in all for £600, from Edmund Kederminster, Thomas Walters or Waters, Thos. Barwick, George Hudson, John Jeferies and Nathaniel Humphries. *P.* ½ *each, one endd. with apportionment of share. Ibid.* 66–68.

1654.
8 May.

Declaration by Kederminster and others, as the above.

They desire to have one lot allotted to all of them jointly. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by all, except that Thos. Smith signs as guardian to Thomas, son of Thomas Barwick. Endd. Ibid.* 69.

1654.

1 June. Deposition by Thomas Smith, of St. Mary Athill parish, citizen and cutler of London.

He knew Thomas Barwick, late citizen and grocer of London, deceased. Thomas Barwick, mariner, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 70.

1642. 18 March. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Sir Wm. Masham, Bt., a Member of the House of Commons. *P.* ½, *each endd. Ibid.* 71 *and* 72.

30 April. Same by same for £300 from Samuel Moyer, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 73.

165¾. 16 March. Indenture of agreement between Samuel Moyer, as above, and Thos. Vincent, of Peckham, in Surrey, Esq.

Moyer for consideration assigns his share to Vincent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses by* Moyer. *Endd. Ibid.* 74.

1642. 26 March. 25 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Joseph Murdock, of London, skinner. *P.* ⅔ *each*; *one endd. Ibid.* 75–77.

1654. 3 June. Assignment by John Locke, of London, blacksmith.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Decies, co. Waterford, to Edward Smith, citizen and sadler of London. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 78.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from John Locke, of London, blacksmith. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 79.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On 1 April, 1642, Nathaniel Hallowes, M.P. and Alderman of Derby, and others advanced £1,400 for the Irish adventure. John Locke, as above, was one of them, and subscribed £100 of that sum. A fourth part of the £1,400 was paid in on that day, including £25 from Locke. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Andrewes. *Ibid.* 80.

1642. 2 April. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the agreement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Christopher Lippiatt, of Marlborough in Wiltshire. *P.* ¾ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 81 *and* 82.

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Note by Tibbs.

Richard Morell, citizen and goldsmith of London, by his last will dated 20 Sept., 1652, "and in the third year of the Keepers of the Liberties of the Commonwealth of England," and proved 8 Nov., 1654, bequeathed everything not otherwise devised or bequeathed to his son, Gunter Morell. There was no gift of his Irish land. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 292, 83.

12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £100, from Richard Morell, of London, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 85.

$165\frac{1}{5}$. 13 March. Certificate by John Forster, mercer, at the "Harrow" in Paternoster Row.

He knew Richard Morell, deceased, well, and Gunter Morell, now of Stratford le Bow, is his eldest and only son. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 84.

13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £37 10*s.*, from John Sandon, of London, cordwainer. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 87.

$165\frac{1}{2}$. 7 Feb. Certificate by Andrewes, as above.

On 28 March, 1642, John Sandon, as above, paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) by* Andrews. *Ibid.* 86.

Extract from the will of Edward Hodgson, citizen and goldsmith of London.

By his last will, dated 7 April, and proved 9 May, 1651, he left his executors full power to deal with all his lands, &c. His father, Thomas Wilson, and his cousin Wm. Rawson were the executors. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 88.

1642. 19 April. 11 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Hodgson, or Hodson, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Both endd. with notes that they are assigned over to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant tailor. One assignment is dated* 15 *July,* 1653, *and both are made in the name of Rawson, as executor to Hodgson. Ibid.* 89 *and* 90.

1643. 7 Aug. One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, from Edward Hodgson, of St. Anne's, Aldersgate, citizen and goldsmith, for £25. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. with assignment as foregoing, and with note that the investor desired that his lot should fall in Limerick. Ibid.* 91.

1642. 19 April. 30 June. 6 Oct. 23 Dec. Four receipts by Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, subscribed by Giles Moore, of Broad Clist, in Devon, yeoman. *In all, p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *(on same paper). Endd. Ibid.* 92.

8 April. 23 June. 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £20, from Philip Musgrove, of Broad Clist, tanner. *In all, p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *(on same paper). Endd. Ibid.* 93.

1642.

16 April. 7 and 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £100, from Richard Mayne, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *as above. S.P. Ireland* 292, 94.

28 May. 19 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of Mayne, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *as above. Ibid.* 96.

1649. 21 July. Certificate by the Mayor and Corporation of Exeter.

The sums advanced by Mayne for them are not properly their money, and may be freely enjoyed by the heirs, &c., of Mayne, to whom they belonged. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the city of Exeter. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

1642. 30 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £850 from John Wood of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 98.

29 April. 13 July. 8 Oct. 26 Dec. Four of same by same, in all for £600, from George Barker, Francis Rogers, John Bentley and Nicholas Knapp. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Three endd., one endorsement giving the apportionment of the sums to the several contributors. Ibid.* 97, 99, 100 *and* 101.

1643. 10 June. Assignment by Nicholas Knapp, of Ewell in Surrey.

For £60 he assigns his share in the above adventure to Roger Lambert, citizen and linen draper of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed by* Knapp *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 102.

1646. 4 July. Certificate and assignment of George Barker, of Richmond, in Surrey.

£100 of the £200 which he subscribed for land in Ireland is properly the money of Abraham Tuffnayle, citizen and salter of London. Barker assigns this sum to him. He is only trusted for Tuffnayle. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$ (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Barker, *before witnesses. Ibid.* 103.

1642. 20 Aug. Certificate by Edward Parkes, citizen and merchant-tailor of London.

He has a receipt of 30 April, 1642, from the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from himself, £50 from Wm. Jeston, citizen and merchant-tailor of London; £50 from Leonard Tillott, citizen and salter, deceased; £50 from Arthur Crewe, citizen and haberdasher of London; and £25 from Wm. Boggis, of Suffolk. These sums are half the adventures of these persons. The £50 said to be received of Parkes was received of Leonard Tillott. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 104.

1642.

16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Kathrine Tillott, or Tillett, of London, widow. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 105.

1654. 13 June. Two certificates by Nicholas Saunderson.

(1) Anne Creswick, of Sheffield, is the sole daughter and heir of James Creswick, late of Sheffield, deceased, who, she believes, died intestate.

(2) Francis Barlow, of Sheffield, grocer, is the eldest son and heir of Humphrey Barlow, late of Sheffield, deceased. *P.* ½. *Underwritten with—*

29 June. Note of Order of the Committee of Claims.

Present:—Col. Fenton, Col. Gill, Justice Hubbert, Mrs. Turnor, Capt. Manton, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Hamon, and Secretary Tibbs.

This [lot] to be allowed accordingly—that is in four equal parts—to Mr. Saunderson, Mr. Scargell, Anne Creswick and Francis Barlow. *Endd. with—*

Note by Robert Forster, parish register of St. Mary Aldermanbury, that Mrs. Mary Rye, daughter of Capt. Richard Coysh, died at Highgate on 23 May, 1654, and was buried on the 26th of the same at the Church of St. Mary Aldermanbury. *In all, with endorsements, pp.* 1¼. *Ibid.* 106.

1653. 13 July. Deposition by Edward Saunderson, of Sheffield, tanner.

He, and James Creswick, who died in October last, Humphrey "Barley" [Barlow], and Robert "Skargill," all of Sheffield, jointly paid in £250 for the Irish adventure in April, 1642. The receipt for a quarter of this sum, which was in the hands of Creswick, who is dead, is lost. Creswick did not part with his share during his lifetime. *P.* ¾. *Certified and dated by* John Clayton. *Endd. Ibid.* 107.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. 7 Oct. 164⅔. 2 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £250 10*s.*, from James Creswick and the others, as in *No.* 106 *above. P.* ½ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 108–111.

1654. 5 May. Assignment by Thos. Walter, citizen and undertaker of London, only brother and heir of Henry Walter, late of Rye, in Sussex, deceased.

Assigning his brother's share of £100, which has been allowed to him by the Committee of Claims, which has fallen in the barony of Connello, co. Limerick, to Giles Harding, citizen and baker of London, in consideration of £45 received. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 112.

1642. 24 May. 19 July. 21 Oct. 1643. 16 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Walter, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 113–116.

1643.

Extract from the last will of Walter, as above.

This will, dated 7 Feb., and proved 12 June, 1646, left the residue of all the testator's personal estate to his son, John Walter, and in the event of his dying under age, to testator's brother, Thomas Walter, and to Susanna Wilford equally; provided also that if John Walter should marry and die under 21 the residue, as above, should go to John's widow and issue. *P.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 292, 117.

1653. 16 July. Oath by Ambrose White, of Rey [Rye], in Sussex, and Ellen, wife of Henry Grant, of the same.

Henry Walter, who adventured £200 for lands in Ireland, is dead, and made no devise of his Irish adventure. John Walter, his only son, is dead, dying under age, and Thos. Walter, citizen and white-baker of London, is the only brother of Henry who is still living. *P.* ½. *Signed by* White *and* Grant *with their marks, and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 118.

1642. 28 March. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from John Wheatley, of London, scrivener. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 119 *and* 120.

1653. 15 Aug. Certificate by George Thomason, of St. Faith's Parish, London, citizen and stationer, and Thomas Featherstone, of St. Anne's Parish, Blackfriars, London.

They knew Henry Featherstone, late of London and now deceased. Heneage Featherstone, of Babram [Babraham], in Cambridgeshire, who is now living, is reputed his only son and heir. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.) by* Thomason *and* Featherstone. *Ibid.* 121.

Note by Tibbs.

He has examined the last will of Henry Featherstone, as above, and finds no disposal therein of his Irish adventure. The will is dated 1 March, 164⅞, and appoints the testator's brother-in-law Michael Heneage, and his brother Edward Featherstone, and nephew George Thomason, to be executors. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 122.

27 Aug Assignment by Edward Alston, of London, doctor in physic.

Together with George Almery, gent., John Holland, gent., Penning Alston, grocer, Joseph Alston, merchant, and Wm. Reynolds, mercer, I adventured £500 for lands in Ireland. £150 of this was paid in my name and that of John Holland. £50 of the £500 belonged to me, and another £50 which formed part of the £150 subscribed by Holland and myself. I had agreed to sell £200 worth of Irish land to Capt. John Blackwell, jun., and could not have done this without having a receipt or certificate in my own name. I therefore gave up to Alderman Andrewes the bill of £150, and he

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has in its place given to me and Holland a certificate of the amounts paid by us respectively. In order that £50 out of my share in the £500 may go to John Holland to make up the sum which Andrewes certified to have been paid by him, I assign him £50 out of my share. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 123.

1642. 19 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from John Holland of Deptford, Esq. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 124.

6 April. 1 July. Two of same by same, in all for £1,200, from Henry Featherston, of London, Esq. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 125 *and* 126.

164½. 16 March. Same from same for £400, from Edward Alston, Dr. in Physic, George Allmery, John Holland, Penning Alston, grocer, Wm. Reynolds, mercer, and Joseph Alton, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 127.

1642. 2 and 19 July. Two of same from same, in all for £600, from George Almery, of London, gent., for £400. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 128-9.

Same. Two of same by same, in all for £200, one from Joseph Alston (gent), and one from Joseph and Penning Alston. *P.* ½ *each. Both endd. Ibid.* 130 *and* 131.

19 July. One of same by same for £100, from Penning Alston, of London, grocer. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 132.

Same. Same by same for £100, from John Holland, of Dedford [Deptford], gent. *P.* ½. *Endd. with receipt by same, dated* 19 *July, for* £5 2*s. from same. Ibid.* 133.

7 March. Same by same for £100, from George Almery & Co. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 134.

18 April. Same by same for £100, *less* £4 2*s.* rebated for interest, from Edward Alston for John Holland. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 135.

1643. 15 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from Penning Alston, of Lombard Street, grocer. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 136.

Same. Same by same for same amount, from Joseph Alston, of same, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 137.

12 Oct. Same by same for £100 paid by John Holland, of Deepford [Deptford], in Kent. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. with note as to the share borne by various people. Ibid.* 138.

1651. 2 May. Indenture of Agreement between John Holland and Joseph Alston, as above.

Alston assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Holland. Usual covenants. Holland indemnifies Alston against all future charges levied on this share. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Alston, *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 139.

165⅔.

8 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On 17 June, 1642, John Holland paid in £50 for the Irish adventure. He alleges that the receipt is lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 140.

165¾. Assignment by Penning Alston, as above.

1 March. Assigning his lot to George Almery, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

Note showing the proportions in which Edward, Joseph and Penning Alston, George Almery, John Holland and Wm. Reynolds subscribed the £2,000 for land in Ireland in March, June, and July, 1642. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 142.

1654. Assignment by Fulke Wormelayton, or Wormlayton, of Wapping, in Middlesex, distiller.

3 April.

Assigning his lot to Richard Loton, of the parish of St. Mary, Whitechapel, and Thomas Whalley, of same. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 143.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

19 July. King and Parliament for £50, from Fulke Wormlayton. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 144.

1653. Assignment by Francis Waterhouse, of London, fishmonger.

9 Sept.

Assigning his share of £15 in the Irish adventure for £15 to George Spilman, sen., of Great Yarmouth, in Norfolk, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 145.

1643. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £15, from

9 Aug. Waterhouse, as above. *P.* ½ (*small*). *Both endd. Ibid.* 146 *and*

7 Nov. 147.

1654. Assignment by Thomas Turgis, of London, grocer, son and heir of Thomas, late of same, deceased.

25 March.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the co. Waterford, to Bartholemew Fessen [Fosson?], citizen and skinner of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 148.

1653. Note by Tibbs.

16 July. He has seen the last will of Thomas Sturgis [*sic*], the elder, of the parish of St. Dionis, Backchurch, in London, grocer. Thomas Sturgis, the younger, is his son and heir. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 149.

30 April. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

14 July. the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Sturgis or Turgis, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 150 *and* 151.

1654.

12 April. Assignment by Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London.

Assigning the lot which he holds as assignee of Thos. Turgis, jun., and which has fallen in the Liberties of Waterford, to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 152.

1642. 18 July. 30 Sept. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Samuel Wilkins or Wilkin, of London, tallow-chandler; also certificate by Andrewes that Wilkins paid in £12 10*s.* on 28 March, 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, the last endd. Ibid.* 154-6.

1643. 18 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.* from same, "of Southwark, in the co. of Surrey, tallow chandler." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 153.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from Daniel Waldo, of London, clothworker. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 157–9.

26 March. 19 July. Three receipts by the same, in all for £100, from Patient Wallin, of London, butcher. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. with receipt dated* 18 *July*, 1643, *by Alderman Avery for* £12 10*s. from same. Ibid.* 160–162.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 15 March. Indenture of agreement between Patient Wallin, citizen and butcher of London, and Robert Gardner, of Hoinly [Honiley] in Warwickshire, brother and heir of Richard Gardner, of St. Saviour's Southwark, haberdasher, deceased.

Wallin assigns to Gardner half of his share of £112 10*s.*, which properly belonged to Richard Gardner, deceased, brother of Robert, who is his heir. Usual covenants. Robert further covenants to indemnify Wallin against all claims touching Richard's share. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 163.

1642. 8 April. 27 May. 2 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Wm. Hitchcock, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 164–6.

18 April. 27 June. Two of same, in all for £200, from Henry West, of Limehouse, mariner. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 167 *and* 169.

19 April. 18 July. Two of same, in all for £100, from Edmund Sheafe, of London, mercer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 168 *and* 170.

1653. 16 July. Certificate by John Woods.

Sampson Sheafe is the eldest son and heir of Edmund Sheafe, as above, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 170.

1653.

6 May. — July. Two receipts by Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, subscribed by Wm. Nottle, of Barnstaple, in Devon, merchant. *P.* ½, *on same page. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 172.

30 April. 19 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Cornelius and Stephen Mounteney, of London. *P.* ½ *each. Ibid.* 173 *and* 174.

1653. Oath by Richard Mounteney, of London, merchant.

18 July. Stephen Mounteney, mentioned in the foregoing, is dead without issue, and Cornelius Mounteney is his next brother and heir. Stephen did not convey his Irish adventure by his last will. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Robert Keylway, Master of the Chancery in Ordinary. *Endd. Ibid.* 175.

1654. Assignment by Cornelius Mounteney, as above.

11 May. He assigns his lot and the lot which he holds as heir to Stephen Mounteney, which have fallen in the barony of Decies, to Richard Loton, of Whitechapel, in Middlesex, Esq., and James Whalley, of the same, clerk. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 176.

13 June. Same by Maurice Thomson, of London, Esq.

For £12 10*s.* he assigns to Elias Roberts, of London, Esq., merchant, his £25 share in the Irish adventure. The sum was advanced for houses and lands in the city of Waterford. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 177.

1646. 17 April. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £450, from Maurice and George Thomson, of London, merchants. *P.* ⅓ *and p.* ½. *Ibid.* 178 *and* 180.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from the Thomsons, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 179 *and* 181.

7 July. One of same by same for £500, from Maurice Thomson alone. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 182.

Same. Same from George Thomson alone. *P.* ⅔. *Endd.*: "Their lot doubled, and for a house in Waterford." *Ibid.* 184.

28 March. 30 April. 19 July (2). Four of same by same, in all for £250, from Richard Mounteney, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 183, 185, 187 *and* 187*a*.

29 March. 6 April. 20 June. 19 July. Four of same by same, in all for £250, from John Martyn, Anthony Stoughton, Henry Bristow, John Alderton and Wm. Munday. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 186, 188, 189 *and* 190.

Note on the above adventure giving dates of payments. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 191.

1643. 12 Aug. Certificate by Anthony Stoughton, of Woking, gent., and John Martin, of Guildford, mealman.

Apportioning the £250 which they adventured in their own names and those of Henry Bristow, of Alton, in Southampton, yeoman; John Alderton, of Guildford, draper; and Wm. Mundy or Munday, of same, maltster.

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These investments were the property of the aforesaid persons (*sums owned by each given*), and they are each to have the benefit of them. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 292, 192.

1653. 12 July. Deposition by John Martin, as above, *æt.* 68.

He well knew Anthony Stoughton, late of Worplesdon, in Surrey, gent., who died about seven years ago. Nicholas Stoughton is his reputed son and heir. He also knew the late Wm. Munday, of same. Wm. Munday, now living, is his son and sole heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified and dated by* Wm. Childs. *Endd. Ibid.* 193.

1649. 11 June. Assignment by Cornelius Mounteney, of London, haberdasher.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to his brother Richard Mounteney. *P.* 1. *Signed., &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 194.

1642. 28 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £62 10*s.*, from Cornelius Mounteney, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 195.

1654. 12 May. Assignment by Richard Mounteney.

Assigning to Richard Loton and Thos. Whalley, of Whitechapel, in Middlesex, the share of £250, for which he himself subscribed, and the share of £62 10*s.*, which he holds as assignee of Cornelius, heir of Stephen Mounteney. They have fallen in the barony of Decies. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 196.

Note of the sums paid in by Thrale. George Miller, to whom Abraham Miller is son and heir, by Edward Brewster, who by his will bequeathed to his sons Samuel and Daniel Brewster, and by Sarah Hart, wife of Christopher Foster. Samuel Hart adventured a sum and died, and his brother and heir assigns to John Hart and Christopher Foster. Details of other assignments. Figures given. The total of these adventures is £600. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 197.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

Edward Brewster, citizen and stationer of London, by a codicil to his last will, which is dated 6 Oct., 1645, and was proved 7 March, 164$\frac{7}{8}$, bequeathed his Irish adventure to his sons, Samuel and Daniel. Codicil dated 18 Sept., 1647. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Certified by* Tibbes. *Endd. Ibid.* 198.

1653. 13 July. Declaration by John Hart and Christopher Foster, citizens and ironmongers of London.

£200 of the £600 advanced by George Miller and others (*see above No.* 197) belonged to Samuel and Sarah Hart: Sarah being now the wife of Foster. £150 belonged to Samuel and £50 to Sarah. Thomas Hart, of Staffordshire, brother and next heir to Samuel, assigned the £200 to us, the present assignors.

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We certify that £50 belongs to Sarah, now Sarah Foster, £50 to me, Christopher Foster, and the residue to me, John Hart, and "we, the said John Hart and Christopher Foster, to the intent that each person may have his own particular right, have assigned, each to the other, all such lands, benefits and advantages as shall be allotted and that shall belong to or for the part and share of each of them." *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 292, 199.

13 July. Oath by Nathaniel Underhill and Thos. Webb, citizens and stationers of London, aged respectively 40 and 35 years.

They knew George Miller, citizen and stationer of London, who is now deceased, and Abraham Miller, now of Blackfriars, London, printer, is the eldest son and heir of the said George. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 200.

1642. 15 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from George Miller, Edward Bruster [Brewster] and Richard Thrale, stationers, and Samuel and Sarah Hart, ironmonger, all of London. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid* 201 *and* 202.

1654. 6 June. Agreement between John Hart, Richard Thrale, Abraham Miller, and Geo. Sawbridge, who agrees on behalf of Samuel and Daniel Brewster.

The Committee for claims for lands in Ireland have allowed Sarah Hart £50, John Hart £100, Thrale £133 6*s.* 8*d.*, Foster £50, Miller £133 6*s.* 8*d.*, and Samuel and Daniel Brewster £133 6*s.* 8*d.* These lots have fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary. They agree to take a joint certificate in the names of all of them from the Committee. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 203.

1646. 27 Nov. Assignment by Thomas Hart, of Staffordshire, Esq.

Assigning his interest in the £200 adventured by Samuel and Sarah Hart to John Hart and Christopher Foster. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 204.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

Lydia Wood, spinster, of Tathwell, in Lincolnshire, by her last will, dated 5 July, 1652 and proved 14 July, 1653, bequeathed her share in the Irish adventure—which she held by bequest from her brother, Robert Wood, of London, whose will was dated 21 Aug., 1643—to her "well beloved friend and master, Wm. Comyn of Tathwell, in Lincolnshire," upon trust for the benefit of Joshua, the son of testator's sister, Elizabeth Sheppard. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 205.

1642. 19 April. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £225, from Thomas Steane, waxchandler; Roger Sares, pewterer; and Robt. Wood, waxchandler. *Each p.* ⅔, *a third receipt on back of one of the other two. Ibid.* 206 *and* 207.

1642.

19 July. Receipt by same for £50, from Edward Underwood, of London, grocer, with two receipts by William Underwood (dated 31 March and 24 June, 1642), each for £25 paid him by Edward. William is paying these sums to the Treasurers, together with his own £50 and other subscriptions. *P.* ½ *each. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 208, 209 *and* 210.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Edward Underwood, citizen and grocer of London, by his last will, dated 24 June and proved 2 Aug., 1644, bequeathed his Irish adventure to the children of his brother, George Underwood. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 211.

1654. 16 May. Covenant by Thos. Swift, of Holyhead, and Wm. Barton, citizen and merchant tailor of London.

The Committee of Claims have allowed to Swift £300 assigned him by Edward Vaghan, goldsmith, and to Wm. Barton, citizen and merchant tailor, of London, and a sum of £400 assigned him by Edward Carter and Wm. Loring, of London. Lots for both are fallen in the barony of Moyashel or Mogherediernan [Magheradernon]. They agree to accept a single and joint certificate from the Committee. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 212.

165¾. 8 March. Assignment by Vaghan to Swift, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 213.

1642. 22 March. 7 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Edward Vaghan, of London, goldsmith. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 214–6.

1647. 14 Oct. Certificate by the Corporation of Dartmouth.

Charles Vaghan, of "Ottery St. Mary," in Devonshire, subscribed £400 towards the sum raised by the Corporation in accordance with the Act empowering Corporations to raise money for the reduction of the Irish rebels. He paid in to the Corporation £100 as a first fourth part of his subscription, which is part of the £667 1*s.* 10*d.* paid in by the Corporation on 30 May, 1642. *P.* 1, *with note by* Wm. Lees, James Osmond [?] and Henry Flower that this writing, purporting an acquittance, was produced and showed by John Vaghan, gentleman, Richard Verman and James Marshall, merchant, at the time of their examination before them. *Endd. Ibid.* 217.

1642. 20 July. Certificate by Warner and Andrewes.

Charles Vaghan or Vaughan, of the parish of "Mary Overy," in Devonshire, paid in £1,000, and for reducing the Irish rebels £100 more, on the propositions for setting forth ships for the Irish service, and £300 with the town of Dartmouth subscriptions. The receipts are supposed to have been lost "by the plundering of the enemy in the City of Excester." *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Andrewes and Warner, *and with note similar to that which accompanies foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 218.

1654.

3 June. Assignment by Joseph Vaghan, citizen and goldsmith of London.

Assigning his lot which has fallen in the barony of Kilkenny [West] to Thomas Plampin, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 292, 219.

1642. 22 March. 7 and 15 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Wm. Vaghan, of London, grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Ibid.* 220–2.

1653. 13 July. Certificate by Edward and Joseph Vaghan.

George Vaghan, of London, grocer, is the heir and sole executor of their brother, Wm. Vaghan, late of London, deceased. He made no disposition of his Irish adventure by his will. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 223.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 10 Jan. Assignment by Thomas Plampin, of London, merchant tailor.

Assigning the lot which he holds as assignee under assignment dated 3 June, 1654, of the late Joseph Vaghan, which is fallen in the barony of Kilkenny [West], to Nathaniel Marks, of the City of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c. Endd. Ibid.* 224.

1654. 22 May. Certificate by George Almery.

George Vaghan, deceased, was the eldest son and heir of Wm. Vaghan, late of London, Esq., who did not dispose of his share in the Irish adventure in his will. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Witnessed by* Samuel Colman and John Baynes, churchwardens of the parish of "Olave in the Old Jury," London. *Ibid.* 225.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 3 Jan. Certificate by Benjamin Vaghan.

The following extract has been taken by him out of the ready money book of his master, George Vaghan.

Extract gives notes of certain dealings with his Irish lands. £400 worth was sold to "Col. Joseph Vaghan" at 8 [shillings?] for the value of £1 [?] on Aug. 1, 1653, the money to be paid on Aug. 1, 1654. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 226.

1653. 24 Nov. Deposition by Joseph Vaghan, "of London, goldsmith."

George Vaghan, of London, grocer, son and heir to Wm. Vaghan, Esq., and sole executor of his last will, sold to him (Joseph) on 1 Aug., 1653, three Irish bills, for which he (Wm.) had paid £400. Joseph bought these for £160. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Followed by—*

Same. Deposition by Benjamin Vaghan.

He is apprentice to Wm. Vaghan, Esq. On 13 July, 1653, Geo. Vaghan, son to William, entered a remembrance in the debt book (for facts *see above, No.* 226). *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Certified, &c., as above.*

Same. Same by Richard Vaghan.

Certifying the sale by George to Joseph Vaghan. *P.* $\frac{1}{5}$. *Certified, &c., as above. Followed by—*

25 Nov. Same by James Donolson.

George Vaghan before his death told him that the sale mentioned in the foregoing had taken place. *P.* $\frac{1}{5}$. *Certified and dated by* John Page. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$. *In all, p.* $\frac{5}{6}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 227.

1654.

30 May. Bond by Joseph Vaghan, citizen and goldsmith of London.

He gives a bond of £800 to the Protector that he will hold him and the Committee of Claims harmless against all persons claiming anything from them in virtue of £400 invested by William Vaghan in the Irish adventure, and sold by Wm.'s son and heir George to him, Joseph. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 228.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Wm. Willoughby, late of Portsmouth, dated 1 Aug., 1650, and proved 6 May, 1651, did not dispose of his Irish adventure. Francis Willoughby is his eldest son. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 229.

1653. Certificate by Elias Roberts and Robert Hammond.

16 July. Francis Willoughby is the eldest son and heir of Wm. Willoughby of Wapping, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 230.

1642. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
28 March. the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. Willoughby,
18 and 19 of Wapping Wall. One receipt is in form of a certificate by
July. Alderman Andrewes. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, two endd. Ibid.* 231-3.

1649. Assignment by George Prior, of London, gentleman.

31 July. Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Robert Smyth, of Upton, in the parish of Westham, in Essex. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 234.

29 April. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
19 July. the King and Parliament, in all for £675, from George Pryor, of London, gentleman. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *both endd. Ibid.* 235 *and* 236.

25 March. Five of same, in all for £150, from John Marriott, of London,
30 April. merchant tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 237-41.
22 June.
19 July.

20 April. Three of same by same, in all for £20, from Richard Wolfe, of
11 and 19 London, girdler. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 242–4.
July.

5 April. Two of same by same, in all for £50, from James Fisher, of
19 July. Streatham, in Surrey. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 245 *and* 246.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. Assignment by Fisher, late of Streatham [*see foregoing*], clerk,
7 March. and Daniel Cantin, of London, grocer.

Assigning their lot of £50 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Skreen "No. 2," for £38, to James Wainwright, citizen and haberdasher of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 247.

1642.

20 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Nicholas Williams, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$ *each. S.P. Ireland* 292, 248 *and* 249.

1654. Assignment by Williams.

26 April. Assigning his share of £100 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, for consideration to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 250.

11 May. Assignment by Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London.

Assigning to Sir John Clotworthy, as above, Henry Smith's adventure of £100, which was allowed by the Committee of Claims to Richard Smith, of Southwark, Henry's eldest son and heir, and which has fallen in Dunluce, co. Antrim. The present assignor is assignee of Richard Smith. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. with certificate that Richard is the eldest son and heir of Henry Smith. Ibid.* 251.

1642. 19 April. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Smith, of London, grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 252 *and* 253.

1653. Assignment by Richard Smith, as above.

25 Dec. Assigning his share to Bartholomew Fosson (*see above, No.* 251). Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 254.

1642. 20 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Browne, of London, leatherseller. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Endd. Ibid.* 255–6.

1654. Assignment by Browne, as above.

26 April. Assigning his share in the adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martin's in the Fields. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 257.

Same. Same by John Timme, of London, goldsmith. Similar in substance to foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 258.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Timme, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. One endd. with note by* Timme that he received half the money from his brother Sprigg. *Ibid.* 258*a and* 258*b*.

19 July. One of same by same for £150 from Henry Smith, of "Witchcock," in Leicestershire. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 258*c*.

29 April. Receipt by Archdale Palmer, Sheriff of Leicestershire, for £50 from same for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 259.

1642.
30 April.
19 July.
20 Oct.
164⅔.
20 Jan.

Four of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Sir Richard Onslow, Kt., M.P. *P.* ⅔ *each.* *S.P. Ireland* 292, 260-263.

1642.
26 March.
13 July.

Two of same, in all for £60, from Thomas Irons, of London. *P.* ⅔, *on same page.* *Ibid.* 264.

11 and 19 March.
1 April.
19 July.
13 Oct.
164⅔.
5 Jan.
28 and 30 March.

Eight of same, in all for £700, from John Parker, of St. Maryhill [and] of London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 265-272.

Note summarising the foregoing. *P.* ¼. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 273.

1642.
19 April.
11 and 19 July.

Three of same, in all for £600, from Cornelius Holland, Esq., M.P. *P.* ⅔ *each, two endd.* *Ibid.* 274-276.

19 July.

Receipt by Holland for £100, contributed by John Bonele to his adventure of £600. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 277.

J. Boncle to [ ].

Asking that he may have a portion of Holland's lot according to the share he subscribed as shewn by Holland's receipt [foregoing]. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*) *Endd.* *Ibid.* 278.

1642.
19 Nov.

Articles of agreement between Cornelius Holland, of Richmond, in Surrey, and Edmond Staunton, of Kingston-on-Thames, D.D.

£200 of the £600 adventured by Holland belongs to Staunton, and Holland agrees that Staunton shall accordingly enjoy the due portion of the land thereupon allotted. Other consequential agreements. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Holland *before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 279.

20 April.
19 July.

Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Anthony Morgan, of London, linen draper. *P.* ⅔, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 280 *and* 281.

1655.
30 May.

Assignment by George Wyan, of the Inner Temple, London, son and heir of Thomas Wyan, deceased.

Assigning his father, Thomas', lot, which has fallen in the barony of Lune, and which the Committee of Claims have awarded

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to him, to Francis Bigg, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 292, 282.

1 Feb. Same by Francis Bigg, as above.

A lot of £110 has been allowed him by the Committee of Claims —£100 being Thos. Wyan's [*see foregoing*], and the other £5 (*doubled*) subscribed by Wm. Haynes, of London, whitebaker. He assigns this lot, which has fallen in the barony of Lune, to George Clerke, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 283.

1654. Certificate of John Mosyer.

22 April. Thos. Wyan, late of St. Peter's Hill, London, is deceased, and George Wyan, Esq., of the Inner Temple, is his only son. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.) before a witness, and followed by—*

24 April. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Letters of administration of the estate of Thos. Wyan, of St. Peter's, Paul's Wharf, London, were granted to his son George, and show that Thomas is his only son. The letters are dated 29 March last. *P.* ⅓, *in all, p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 284.

1642. 15 April. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Wyan. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 285–7.

26 March. 13 July. Two of same by same for £24, from Richard Irons, of London. *Endd. with note by* Irons that he is too ill to come to make this claim but desires to be admitted. *Also endd.* "Allowed to Richard Irons for £25." *Ibid.* 288.

19 April. 6 July. Two of same by same, in all for £600, from John Evelin or Evelyn, of the Middle Temple, Esq. *Each p.* ⅓ *and* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 289 *and* 291.

2 April. 6 July. Two of same by same, in all for £1,200, from Robert Reynolds, Esq., M.P. *P.* ⅓ *and p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 290 *and* 292. *Nos.* 291 *and* 292 *are on same sheet and endd. with note by* Reynolds [?] that he has paid in £1,800, the £600 paid in by Evelin having been assigned to his use, as appears by assignment of 5 July, 1642.

5 July. Indenture of assignment referred to in foregoing. Evelyn assigns his share of £600 to Reynolds, in consideration of £110 paid in ready money and of a covenant by Reynolds to pay the residue of the said sum to such person as the Acts of Parliament dealing with the matter shall limit or appoint. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Parchment. Signed, &c., by* Evelin *before witnesses, amongst whom are* Bulstrode Whitelock and Wm. Evelyn, clerk. *Endd. Ibid.* 293.

15 April. 12 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Arthur Goodwin, Esq., M.P. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 294–6.

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14 July. Certificate by R. Hampden and Wm. Wing.
Philip Lord Wharton married the only daughter and heir of Arthur Goodwin, Esq., deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *S.P. Ireland* 292, 297.

1642. 31 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from George Witham, of London, leatherseller. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 298–9.

1646. 30 April. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £100, from same. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 300 *and* 301.

4 and 21 May. 17 July. Four of same by same, in all for £250, from Sir John Wollaston, Kt., Alderman of London. *P.* ½, *p.* ⅔ *and p.* ⅔. *One endd. with note that* Sir John Wollaston paid £25 more for a house in Waterford. *Ibid.* 303, 304, 305 *and* 307.

1642. 18 April. 18 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £900, from the same. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 302 *and* 306.

1654. 3 April. Indenture of agreement between Sir John Wollaston of the one part, and Benjamin Andrews, of London, goldsmith, and Wm. Currer, mercer, of the same, of the other part.
Wollaston assigns to them his adventure of £1,125 [*sic*] and his adventure of £25 for a house in Waterford. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Wollaston. *Endd. Ibid.* 308.

1642. 4 and 30 April. 8 June. 12 and 18 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £2,400, from Sir David Watkins, of London, Kt. *P.* ⅔ *each, all endd., one with a receipt for a sum rebated, and one with note that* Sir David paid in £375 for the "sea adventure," and that he paid in all £3,000, which was doubled to £6,000. *Ibid.* 309–313.

1646. 27 April. 6 June. 1 and 6 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £600, from same. *Each p.* ⅔, *all endd. Ibid.* 314–317.

1647. 20 Dec. Receipt by same for £16 13*s.* 4*d.*, from Francis Woolley, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 319.

1642. 18 April. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £66 13*s.* 4*d.*, from same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 318.

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18 April. 13 July. 4 Oct. 20 Dec. Four of same by same, in all for £600, from Thomas, Lord Viscount Wenman. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 292, 320–323.

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14 Oct. Assignment by Hugh Norris, of London, merchant.

Assigning his adventure of £200 in return for £200 now paid him, to Henry Polstead, *jun.*, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *Pp.* $2\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, and before* Joshua Marriot, notary public. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 1.

1643. 31 Aug. 1644-5. 8 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £120, from Polstead, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each.* *Ibid.* 2–5.

1656. 2 Sept. Assignment by Polstead.

Assigning the £20, which he invested in the adventure for houses to lie in or near the city of Waterford, to Elias Robert or Roberts, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 6.

1642. 30 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Richard Rogers, of London, grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 8 *and* 8*a*.

28 March. 24 June. 19 July. Three receipts by William Underwood, in all for £100, which Richard Rogers has paid him. Underwood subscribed these sums for Rogers to the Irish adventure. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *or p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 7, 9 *and* 10.

1647. 20 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from Rogers, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 12.

$164\frac{7}{8}$. 15 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers of November, 1647, for £25, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 11.

1642. 4 April. 28 June. 18 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Mortimer, of Exeter, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd.* *Ibid.* 13, 14 *and* 14*a*.

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30 July. Assignment by Mortimer, as above.

Assigning his lot, for £100 paid him and for other considerations, to Christopher Samford, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 15.

5 and 14 April. 23 June. 19 July. Four receipts by Walter White, Sheriff of the City and County of Exeter, for £150 paid in by John Seager, of Broadclist in Devonshire, for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 16 *and* 17.

1653. 12 July. Declaration by John Crewe, of Steane in Northamptonshire.

The £600 paid in in his name for the Irish adventure was properly the money of Thomas Temple, D.D., of Battersea, and of Wm. Baker, of Lamberts in Surrey. Crewe disclaims all right and interest in this sum. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 18.

1642. 19 April. 17 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from John Crew or Crewe, M.P. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 19–21.

18 Nov. Declaration by John Hampden, of Hampden, in Bucks.

£600 of the £1,000 paid in in his name properly belongs to Edward Wodward, of Leigh, in Bucks. Hampden covenants that Leigh shall have the profits thereof. Usual further covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 22.

1653. 13 July. Certificate by Sir John Temple, Kt., of Westminster, *æt.* about 50 years.

He knew Edward Wodward, of Leigh, in Bucks, who is deceased. Edward Wodward [or Woodward], now living, is his eldest son and heir. He also knew John Hamond, of Chersey [Chertsey], in Surrey, deceased. Robert Hamond, who is now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 23.

1642. 18 Nov. Further declaration by John Hampden, as above.

£200 of the £1,000 paid in in his name for the Irish adventure properly belongs to [Lieut.-General] Thos. Hamond, of Franckton, in Warwick. He covenants that Hamond shall enjoy the land allotted thereon accordingly. Usual further covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 24.

7 April. 13 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from John Hampden, M.P., of Great Hampden, in Bucks. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 25–27.

1649. 14 July. Certificate by Philip Lord Wharton and Thos. Temple.

Richard Hampden, of Great Hampden, is the eldest son of John Hampden, of same, lately deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 28.

1649.

4 July. Assignment by Lieut.-General Thos. Hammond.

Assigning the share of Hampden's adventure which belongs to him [*see above, No.* 24] to John Temple, of Gray's Inn. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 29.

1642. 4 May. Receipt by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, for £100 paid in for the Irish adventure by John Garth, of Merton, in Surrey. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 30.

1653. 24 June. Certificate by Richard Hingston, scrivener, and Wm. Vincent.

They have read the last will of James White, of Exeter, merchant, dated 28 Sept., 1643. This will makes his son, Bartholomew White, executor. He made no bequest of his Irish adventure, but left the residue of his property to his wife (since deceased) and his sons, Bartholomew and Richard. Richard has given Bartholomew a discharge of all claim on the investment in the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, and with note by* Nathaniel Manton that Bartholomew White is the eldest son of John White. *Ibid.* 31.

1642. 16 April. 28 May. 30 June. 18 and 19 July. Five receipts by Walter White, in all for £300, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of James White, merchant. *On two sheets, p.* $\frac{3}{4}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 32 *and* 33.

1649. 20 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, Bailiffs and Commonalty of Exeter.

The sums of £100 which, according to a receipt that they have seen, was advanced by them for the Irish adventure, properly belong to the executors of James White, as above. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city of Exeter. Endd. Ibid.* 34.

1654. 20 April. Assignment by Thomas Maberley, of the parish of St. Peter's, Paul's Wharf, London, weaver.

Assigning his share of £50 to Elias Roberts, of Broad Street, London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 35.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from Maberley. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 37.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. 19 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes that Maberley also paid in £12 10*s.* on 28 March, 1642. He had no receipt therefor. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 36.

1654.

3 June. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The late Mrs. Elizabeth Mayne did not, he finds, leave any bequest of her Irish adventure. Her eldest son is John Mayne. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *followed by—*

Certificate by Nathaniel Manton.

John Mayne is the eldest son of Elizabeth Mayne, late of Exeter, widow, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *attached to foregoing. In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 38.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by Walter White, in all for £5, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Samuel Mayne, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 39.

Same. Same for same, payment through the hands of Thomas Mayne, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid* 40.

Same. Same for same, through the hands of John Mayne, of Exeter. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 42.

Same. Same for same, through the hands of Zacharie Mayne, of the same. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 41.

Same. Same for same, from Mrs. Prudence Mayne, of same. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 43.

Same. Same for same, from Elizabeth Mayne, of same. *Ibid.* 44.

1644. 1 April. Assignment by John, Thomas, Samuel, Zacharie, Elizabeth and Prudence Mayne, sons and daughters of Richard Mayne, late of Exeter, merchant, deceased.

They assign the sums which they have paid in through Walter White for the Irish adventure to their mother, Elizabeth Mayne. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 45.

1649. 21 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums which were received by Walter White as coming from them through John Mayne and his brothers and sisters [*see foregoing*], were properly the money of those several persons, and they may enjoy them quietly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city of Exeter. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

1642. 22 and 31 March. 16 and 19 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Edward Ansley or Annesley, of London, armourer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 47–51.

1643. 21 Aug. 9 Nov. Two of same from the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £100; from same, "of St. Botolph's without Aldgate, armourer." *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 52 *and* 53.

1642. 19 July. Assignment by Sir Gilbert Pickering, of Titchmarsh, in Northampton, M.P.

John Shepard, of Towcester, in Northampton, mercer, paid him £300, being one-half of the sum which Pickering invested in the Irish adventure. Pickering assigns this half of the share to Shepard. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, and with note by*

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Shepard that £100 of the above sum belongs to Richard Farmer, of Towcester, and £50 thereof to George Waple, the elder, of same. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 54.

22 Sep. Certificate by Shepard, similar in substance to the foregoing note. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 55.

1653. 8 Aug. Certificate by George Waple, Richard Farmer and John Lynnill, of Towcester, overseers of the will of John Shepard, late of Towcester, deceased.

They have taken security from Wm. and John, sons of the deceased, for £20 given to Samuel Shepard—a third son of the deceased, by the will of the deceased, and also for a bequest in the said will of £10 to the deceased's daughter, Elizabeth Shepard. Daniel, another son of the deceased man, is already dead. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 56.

Note on the same matter. Similar in substance to foregoing documents. *P.* ¾ *(small). Ibid.* 56*a*.

165½. 4 March. Alderman Andrewes to Mr. Almory.

Sir Gilbert Pickering has paid in £600 for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 57.

1653. 18 July. Deposition by George Waple, *jun*, of Towcester, mercer, *æt.* 25.

He well knew Daniel, the son of John Shepard, late of Towcester, who is dead. *P.* ¼. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 58.

1654. 3 May. Certificate by John Randolph, Ralph Punn, preacher, and Thos. Summers, registrar of the parish of Towcester.

Wm. Shepard, son and heir of John Shepard, late of Towcester, mercer, died on 4 Dec., 1653. John Shepard is his next brother of whole blood. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 59.

Certificate by Tibbs.

John Shepard, or Sheppard, of Towcester, by his will dated 16 June, 1643, and proved 6 June, 1646, declared with regard to the adventure of £300 assigned him by Sir Gilbert Pickering that £100 belonged to his cousin, Richard Farmer, and £50 to his brother George Waple. The residue of £150 he bequeathed to his surviving sons and their heirs; but if two of those sons William and John should desire to have the lands due in respect of this adventure and pay to Samuel £20, to Daniel £20, and to Elizabeth £10, the adventure to go to them (William and John), or to the survivor of them; otherwise to be divided among testator's surviving sons. If any such lands befal and his sons William and John prefer to sell them, they shall pay their mother, if living, £10. If they occupy and lease these lands they shall pay £3 a year to their mother for her life. *P.* ⅔. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Endd. with notes concerning the adventure. Ibid.* 60.

1642. 28 March. 30 April. 27 June. 19 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Moses Jenkins, of Blackwell Hall, London, clothier. *Each p.* ⅔, *four endd. Ibid.* 61–65.

1654.

17 April. Assignment by Edward Overing, of London, salter.

Assigning £100 of his share, the sum allowed by the Committee of Claims, to John Gregory, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 66.

165⁰/₁. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

21 Jan. Edward Overing, as above, advanced £200 for the Irish adventure in 1642. Receipts have miscarried or been lost. A note adds that £100 of the above was paid in by John Gregory. *P.* ½, *with undertaking (dated* 20 *July,* 1653) *by Gregory that the two original receipts shall not be doubled or used to the prejudice of the Commonwealth. In all, p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 67.

1652. Certificate by same.

30 Dec. The late George Austen, merchant, advanced £600 for the Irish adventure. Valentine Walton declares that this share should be improved for Henry Austen, the son of George, who is under the care of Valentine in right of Frisis, lately wife of George Austen and now wife of the said Valentine. Valentine further makes oath that the receipts have been lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 68.

1653. Certificate by Wm. Beekes, Joshua Woolnough, John Brett, and

5 July. John Vallance, parish clerk.

They knew John Bate, citizen and merchant-tailor, now deceased. At the time of his death he had four daughters and no son living. One is called Elizabeth, now wife of Daniel Hill, of London, linendraper; one called Mary, now the wife of John Partridge, of same, haberdasher of small wares; one other called Hannah, now wife of Reginald Straight, of Much Baddow [Great Baddow], in Essex, gentleman; and the fourth, Sarah Bate. He has no other children living to our knowledge. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 69.

25 March. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
30 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from John Bate, as
27 June. above. *P.* ⅔ *each. Two endd. Ibid.* 70–73.
14 July.

1653. Assignment by Elizabeth Hills, Hannah Straight, Mary Partridge

10 June. and Sarah Bate or Bates.

Assigning the £200, of which they are co-heirs, to John Partridge, of London, cutler [husband of Mary?]. They assign with the consent of their husbands. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, including* Reginald Straight and Daniel Hills. *Endd. Ibid.* 74.

14 July. Certificate by Mark Bradley and Wm. Cooper.

George Bradley is the son of George Bradley, citizen and stationer of London, deceased. *P.* ⅙. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 75.

1642.

30 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Mark Bradley, of London, scrivener; Wm. Cooper, haberdasher; and George Bradley, stationer. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 76.

19 July. Same for £100, from Mark and George Bradley. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 77.

Same. Same for £50 from Wm. Cooper. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 78.

3 May. 4 Aug. 2 Nov. 164⅔. 27 Jan. Four of same, in all for £80, from Dr. Gerard Boate, Dr. of Physic and "of Holland, stranger." *Each p.* ½ *or p.* ⅔. *All endd. Ibid.* 79–82.

8 and 16 March. 15 June. 19 July. Four of same, in all for £400, from Ahasuerus Regemort, Dr. of Physic, of London. *Each p.* ⅔, *and endd. with*—

Acknowledgement by Dr. Regemort that three-fourths of the adventure was the money of Dr. Gerard Boate, and that the lot belongs to him. The acknowledgments made before Robert Malthus on October 4, 1649. *Ibid.* 83–86.

1643 [?53] Certificate by Robert Malthus and Arnold Boate.

14 July. Gerard Boate is the eldest son and heir of Gerard Boate, Dr. of Physic, late of London, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 87.

1653. Certificate by Luke and Jacob Luce.

14 July. Ahasuerus Regemort is the eldest son and heir of his father, Dr. Ahas. Regemort. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 88.

19 July. Assignment by John Fenton, of London.

Assigning to Thos. Owen, of Brentfield, Herts., clerk, a share in the Irish adventure, which he holds by assignment (dated 13 June, 1649), from George, brother and executor of Nicolas Gregson, or Grigson, the original investor. *P.* ¾. *Signed before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 89.

1642. 26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Geo. Grigson, or Gregson, clothworker. *P.* ¼ *each, on same sheet. Endd. with assignment (undated and unsigned) by Nicholas Grigson to Fenton [see foregoing]. Ibid.* 90.

1649. 13 June. Assignment similar to that endorsed on foregoing. Drafted for more than one assignor, but signed by N. Gregson only. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 91.

1643. 9 June. Receipt by certain Treasurers "appointed by an ordinance of Parliament of Jan. 30, 164⅔, for a new loan and contribution for relief of Ireland"[1] for £5 in plate and money, from John Rolfe, of Peter's Cornhill, London. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 93.

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[1] *See H.L. Journals (England), Vol. V., p.* 278. Hereinafter these Treasurers are called "The Treasurers of Jan., 1643."

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2 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £13 15*s.* from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 92.

165½. Assignment by Wm. Allen, of London, merchant.

10 Feb. He subscribed £200 to the Irish adventures, which sum he paid in by appointment and agreement with John Rolfe, citizen and goldsmith of London, and Nicholas Haward, citizen and grocer of the same. Rolfe and Haward paid £50 each, and Allen £100. Rolfe has since paid in one-fourth of his £50 to the Treasurers of July, 1643.

Allen now assigns Rolfe's £50 to him in order that he may enjoy the full benefit thereof. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 94.

1642. Indenture of agreement between Allen, Rolfe and Haward, as

30 Sep. above.

They agree as to the facts stated above, and Allen covenants to assign to Rolfe and Haward such part of the lands allotted to the joint adventure as shall be in proportion to their share in the investment. The parties will bear in like proportion their share of any King's rents, &c., which may be reserved. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed by* Rolfe and Allen *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

1653. Certificate by Wm. Tibbes.

6 July. Richard Beighton, of London, sadler, subscribed £12 10s. to the Irish adventure in Aug., 1643. *P.* ½, *followed by*—

Same. Oath by Richard Beighton, as above, *æt.* about 50.

He assigned the share above-named to Francis Hayden, citizen and weaver of London. *P.* ⅓. *Certified and dated by* John Page, *as Master of the Chancery. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 96.

Same. Oath by Francis Hayden, citizen and weaver of London.

Beighton assigned his share to him. He left the bills in a trunk "at Dublin in Ireland," where they still are. He has not assigned. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated as foregoing. Ibid.* 97.

Same. Certificate by Tibbs.

He finds on record in the book of subscriptions that Richard Beighton, of London, sadler, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure in March and July, 1642. *P.* ½, *followed by*—

Same. Oath by Beighton.

He assigned the above to Hayden, as above. *P.* ¼. *Certified and dated by* Page. *In all, p.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 98.

25 July. Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of William Methwold, bearing date 28 Feb., 165⅔, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 100.

1642. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

26 March. the King and Parliament, in all for £1,100, from William Methwold,

30 April. of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 100–103.

13 and 18 July.

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1 Aug. Certificate by Wm. Cokayne and Thos. Blackerley, of London, merchants.

Wm. Methwold, now living, is the eldest son and heir of Wm. Methwold, of London, Esq., deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 293, 104.

5 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from James Marten, or Martyn, of London, fishmonger. *P.* ⅔ *each. Ibid.* 105 *and* 106.

Assignment by James Martyn, as above.

Assigning the above share to Wm. Methwold or Methould, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 107.

1654. 9 May. Agreement between Wm. Barton and Ralph Triplett.

They jointly advanced £600, in equal sums, for the Irish adventure in 1642. They agree to take one certificate in their joint names for this sum and for £20 assigned by Kathrine Triplett to Ralph. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 108.

1642. 31 March. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Triplett and Barton, as above. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 109–111.

19 July. Same by same for £20, from Kathrine Triplett, of Hampton-Gay, Oxon. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 112.

164⁶⁄₇. 6 Feb. Assignment by Kathrine Triplett.

Assigning her share, as above, to Ralph Triplett, citizen and stationer, of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 113.

1653. 16 July. Assignment by John Perrott, of London, skinner.

Assigning his share to Robert Norman, of Hackney, in Middlesex, gent. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 114.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from John Perrott, of London, skinner. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 115.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Jane, widow of Francis Lane, late citizen and clothworker, of London, by her last will, dated 4 Dec., 1647, and proved 17 Aug., 1648, bequeathed her share in the Irish adventure, and the profits thereof, between her children, Francis, Anne and William, her son-in-law, Thomas Lane, and Elizabeth, daughter of that son-in-law. *Details regarding survivorship. P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 116.

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19 July. Certificate by Wm. Adams, one of the executors of Edmund Pott, of Islington, citizen and haberdasher, of London.

Pott, by his will dated 6 March and proved 5 April, 1650, amongst other things, bequeathed his estate, after debts paid, among his wife and three children.

In this will it appears that Jane Pott was the testator's wife, and his children were Edmund, Sarah and Joseph.

Jane Pott is now the wife of ——— Bland. *P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 117.

1642. 1 and 8 April. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from the Rt. Hon. John Wild, Wylde, or Wyld, sergeant-at-law, and Thomas Lane, Esq., of the Inner Temple, both members of the House of Commons, and company. *Each p.* ½, *or p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 118-121.

24 Sept. Agreement by John Wylde, by Thos. Lane, Wm. Adams, and Edmund Pott, citizens and haberdashers, of London, and by Joan Lane, of London, widow.

They have all equal shares (£200 each) in the share subscribed for by Wild and Lane (*see foregoing*). The benefit shall redound to each of them accordingly. *Five copies. Each p.* ⅔ *or p.* 1. *Signed by the parties before witnesses. Ibid.* 122, 124, 125, 126 *and* 128.

9 April. Further agreement between the parties to the foregoing as to the date at which their share and instalments shall be paid in. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses by all the parties. Ibid.* 123.

16⁴⁹⁄₅₀. 1 Jan. Indenture of agreement between Thomas Lane, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq., and William Atlee, of Ealing, "*alias* Zeeling," Middlesex, yeoman.

Lane and John Wyld, then sergeant-at-law, but now "Lord Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer in the Commonwealth of England," advanced £1,000 for the Irish adventure in 1642. Thomas Lane has paid in £200 of this £1,000 and also brought to the Treasurers for receiving such advance 187 ozs. of silver plate, which, according to the then fashion was worth £49 17*s.* 4*d.*, and made up in money the residue of a subscription of £50. He assigns his share of £250, in return for £250 paid him to Atlee, as above. *Details as to payment of consideration. P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Lane *before witnesses. Ibid.* 127.

1653. Power by Chief Baron Wyld.

15 July. Authorising Wm. Adams, of Lawrence Jewry, London, haberdasher, to execute what shall be fit and necessary on his behalf, in pursuance of a late order of the Council of State, or any other Act regarding his part in the Irish adventure. Ratification clause. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endorsed on the back of S.P. Ireland* 293, 128. *Ibid.* 128*a*.

1654. 1 May. Assignment by John Atlee, of Ealing, yeoman, son of the late Wm. Atlee.

Assigning the £200 share [1] assigned him by Thos. Lane, which has fallen in the barony of Eliogarty, for good consideration to

[1] It was really £250. *See above No.* 123.

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Wm. Barker, of London, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 129.

23 June. Assignment by John Wylde [as aforesaid], serjeant-at-law.

Assigning his share of £200, allowed by the Committee of Claims for a subscription by himself and Thos. Lane, of the Inner Temple, to Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant. It has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 130.

11 May. Same by Francis Lane, citizen and clothworker, of London; Richard Hampden, of London, woollen-draper, and Anne, his wife, daughter of Francis and Joan Lane, deceased.

A share of £200—part of the adventure of Wyld and Thos. Lane [*see foregoing*]—has been allowed to them, and to Wm. and Thos. Lane and Elizabeth Lane, daughter of John, the son-in-law of Joan Lane, to them given and bequeathed by the last will of Joan Lane. The lot for this share has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam. The assignors, by and with the consent of Wm., Thos. and Elizabeth Lane, assign this lot to Erasmus Smith, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 131.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The will of Wm. Atlee, of Ealing, in Middlesex, dated 13 Nov., 1650, and proved 6 Feb., 165½, bequeathed to his son John the interest in the Irish adventure which he had purchased from Mr. Lane, councillor-at-law. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 132.

1642. 29 March. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £120, from Robert Malthus, of Reading. *P.* ⅔ *each, and each underwritten with an assignment dated* 12 *Feb.*, 164⅘, *assigning same to* Malthus' son Robert, of Northall, in Middlesex. *One endd. Ibid.* 133–155.

1653. 12 July. Oath by Martha Russell, *æt.* about 48, wife of John Russell, of Lewes, in Sussex, yeoman.

She knew Mary Baker, of Feversham, in Kent, in her lifetime. Mary Baker was the sister of Thomasine Smith, wife of Ephraim Smith, of London, gentleman; and the said Mary Baker and Thomasine Smith were reputed daughters of John King, of Lewes, aforesaid, sadler, deceased. John King had no other children living at the time of his decease but only Mary Baker and Thomasine Smith. *P.* 1. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 136.

1642. 16 April. Receipt by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, for £2 10s. paid in for the Irish adventure by Ephraim Smith, of Kingston. *P.* ¼, *followed by*—

Same. Receipt by same for same sum from Mary Baker, of Feversham, in Kent, for the same purpose. *P.* ¼, *in all, p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 137.

18 July. 16 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £7 10*s.*, from Ephraim Smith, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 138 *and* 139.

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18 July. 16 Oct. Two of same by same for same sum, from Mary Baker, as above *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 140 *and* 141.

1654. 18 July. Assignment of Ephraim Smith, of the Liberties of the Tower of London, gentleman, and Thomasine, his wife, sole sister and heir of Mary Baker, late of Feversham, in Kent, widow, deceased.

Assigning their lots, each of £10, which have been allowed by the Committee and have fallen in the barony of Decies, to Christopher Alderman, of Ipswich, clothier. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 142.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of John Hamond, of Chertsey Abbey, in Surrey, dated 12 Nov., 1642, contained a bequest by him of his share in the Irish adventure, wherein he was joined with Sir Matthew Brand and Francis Drake, to his mother, Elizabeth Hamond. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 143.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. 18 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Francis Drake, Esq., Sir Matthew Brand and John Hamond, gentleman, paid in £150 for the Irish adventure on 19 April, 1642, being a first instalment of £600. They lost the receipt for same. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 144.

1642. 12 July. 4 Oct. 24 Dec. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from Drake, Brand and Hamond, as aforesaid. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 145–7.

1653. 27 Sep. Indenture of agreement between Nathaniel Hall, citizen and skinner, of London, and John Blackwell the younger, of Mortlake, in Surrey, on the other part.

Hall, in return for £125, assigns to Blackwell his lot of £125, which is doubled by the ordinance of 14 July, 1643. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed by Hall before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 148.

16 Aug. Same by Edward Carter, citizen and grocer, of same.

Assigning his share of £200 in an adventure of £750, in which he was joined with Wm. Lorring, Nathaniel Hall, George South and Giles Townshend, to Wm. Barton, citizen and merchant-tailor, of same. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 149.

Same by Wm. Lorring, citizen and goldsmith, of London.

Assigning his share of £200 in the investment of £750 mentioned in foregoing to Barton, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 150.

1643. 14 July. 19 Aug. 25 Sep. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Giles Townshend, of Botolph's, Aldersgate, confectioner. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. Ibid.* 151–153.

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15 April. 20 June. 19 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £550, from Giles Townsend, Edward Carter, Wm. Loring [or Lorring], Nathaniel Hall, and George South, of London. *P.* ⅔ *each.* *S.P. Ireland* 293, 154, 156 *and* 157.

Notes regarding the above investment as to the proportions borne by each of the subscribers and negociations for the share of individual shares. In order to enable Nathaniel Hall to sell his interest of £100 and another interest of £25, the parties delivered up their first joint receipt of £100 to Alderman Andrewes to be cancelled, and in its place a certificate was issued by Andrewes to Mr. Hall, certifying that he had subscribed £100. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 155.

165⅔. 10 March. Certificate by Andrews, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 158.

1653. 7 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 from Nathaniel Hall, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *With note* that the sum was paid in on 17 Aug., 1643; but this acquittance was not given until to-day, because Hall had not made any subscription for it. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 159.

1643. 17 Aug. Similar receipt from same erased. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 160.

1654. 23 Sep. Declaration and assignment by Anne Townsend, widow and relict of Giles Townsend, late of London, confectioner, deceased, and Henry Fewtrell, citizen and ironmonger, of London, and Anne, his wife, daughter of the said Giles Townsend.

The Committee of Claims have allowed to George, son of the late Giles Townsend, £250, being part of £750 subscribed and paid in by Giles Townsend and others for the Irish adventure, and have allowed him further a sum of £108 6*s.* 8*d.* in respect of subscriptions by the said Giles. The undersigned are content with these allowances, and assign their interest therein to the said George Townsend. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* Anne Townsend *signing with her mark.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 161.

1643. 25 Sep. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £16 13*s.* 4*d.*, for Giles Townsend, of St. Botolph's, Aldersgate, confectioner. *P.* ½ *each.* *Ibid.* 162 *and* 163.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 164.

18 July. Receipt by Matthew Linsey and Robert Baron, now sheriffs of Norwich (as empowered under the Act of 18 Chas. I., entitled "an Act for the further advancement of an effectual and speedy reduction of the rebels in Ireland to the obedience of his Majesty and Crown of England"), for £50 paid in by Wm. Wymer, of Norwich, woollen-draper; £75 from John Knights, of the same, worsted weaver; £75

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from Wm. Davy, of the same, merchant; £75 from Thomas Johnson, or Johnsons, of Norwich, comber; £25 from John Tofts, of Norwich, grocer. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Linsey and Baron. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 165.

Note of the proportions borne in a share in the Irish adventure by Wm. Davy and John Knight assignee of Wm. Wymer, Thos. Johnson, John Knight, for himself and as assignee of John Toft; Wm. Davy, Daniel Dover the younger, assignee of Daniel Dover the elder, and of Peter Hasleburt, and Edmund Spring. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 166.

1653. 14 July. Certificate by Davy, Johnson, Knight and Tofts, as above [*see No.* 165].

They recently invested certain sums of money in the Irish adventure, under the Act entitled "an Act for the speedy and effectual reducing of the rebels, &c."[1] The adventurers were:—Wm. Davy 150, Thomas Johnsons £150, John Knights £150, and John Tofts, £50, and Wm. Wymer £100. They paid in the first fourth of these sums to the Sheriffs of the City and County of Norwich in April, 1642; the second fourth about 12 July, 1642; whilst the last portions were paid in separately by the several parties under another Act of Parliament of 18 Charles I., entitled "an Act for the further advancement," &c.[2] They do not know whether they ever had receipts from the sheriff for the second fourth part of their shares which they paid in, as the receipts were left in the hands of Wm. Wymer, who is since dead. They can find only the receipts for the first, third and fourth parts. Davy and Knights declare that they have since bought up Wymer's share of £100, and Knights has bought up Toft's adventure of £50, and sold afterwards £100 of his whole adventure to Nicholas Poynter. Davy, Johnson, Knights and Tofts declare that these are the only transfers, assignments, &c., which they have made. *P.* 1. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by the parties and witnessed by* John Mann, Mayor of Norwich. *Ibid.* 167.

1642. 13 April. Further receipts by the "shrieffs" of Norwich for £25 from Wymer; £37 10s. each from Knights, Davy and Johnson; and for £12 10*s.* from Tofts. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 168.

1653. 14 July. Extracts from the book of the sheriffs of Norwich giving further details of the same investments. *Details given and certified by* John Mann and Thos. Morse, executors of Baron, in whose custody the books remain. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 169.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £350, from Wm. Wymer & Co. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 170.

1650. 4 May. Indenture of agreement between John Tofts, of Norwich, grocer, and John Knights, of the same, merchant.

Tofts for £25 assigns his share of £50 in the Irish adventure to Knights. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed by* Tofts *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 171.

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(1) 16 *C. I., cap.* 33. *See Statutes of the Realm, V., p.* 168.

(2) 16 *C. I., cap.* 37 *See Statutes of the Realm, V., p.* 176.

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25 July. Same between Peter Hasbert the younger, of the city of Norwich, "distiller of strong waters," and Daniel Dover, of the same, "single man."

Hasbert for £50 assigns his £50 share in the adventure to Daniel Dover. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Hasbert, *before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 172.

1644. 26 April. Same between Daniel Dover, the elder, of Norwich, hosier, and Daniel, his son, "single man," of the same.

The father, for £200, assigns his share of £200 in the Irish adventure to his son. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{4}{5}$ (*large parchment*). *Signed by* Daniel Dover (*once*), *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 173.

1642. 10 Aug. Same between Wm. Wymer, as above, and Davy and Knights, as above.

Wymer, in consideration of £12 per annum, has assigned his share in the Irish adventure to Davy and Knights. The £12 to be paid to Wymer annually at the feast of St. Michael, "Tharke Angel," 1643, and so yearly afterwards, and shall not be paid later than twenty days after that date, and the money shall be paid "within the Guildhall porch of the City of Norwich." If, however, Wm. Wymer survives 21 years, then the lands, &c., assigned shall revert to him.

After the rebels in Ireland are reduced, and within three months after any lot shall be cast for Wymer, and within three days after a legal conveyance is tendered to him, he will assign it to Knights and Davy.

If the rebels in Ireland are not reduced and no land is recovered for the adventure, Davy and Knights will, nevertheless, make the yearly payment of £12 per annum for 4 years to Wymer, if he so long live. If he die before that time has expired, Davy and Knights shall possess absolutely the share in the Irish adventure in question. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed by* Wymer, *&c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 174.

26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Christopher Nicholson, fishmonger. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 175 *and* 176.

1653. 25 July. Oath by Thos. Pargiter, citizen and grocer, of London, *æt* 47, or thereabouts.

He knew John Barnaby, citizen and grocer, of London, now deceased. Abraham Barnaby, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 177.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Christopher Nicholson, citizen and fishmonger, of London, by his last will, dated 19 Oct., 1636, and proved 9 Dec., 1644, made his wife residuary legatee and executrix. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 178.

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5 Sep. Assignment by Elizabeth, widow and executrix of Christopher Nicholson, as above.

Assigning the share of £25, which she holds as legatee of her husband, to John Barnaby, citizen and grocer, of London. It is part of an adventure for £785, which he adventured together with John Fenton, Henry Coales, Richard and Thomas Irons, George and Richard Gregson, Stephen Archbole, Wm. Seale, Edward Lightmaker, Godfrey Reeve, Wm. Blackbery, John Lee, Owen Jones, Edward Thomas, Wm. Shurlock, Jos. Biggs, Richard Newton and Richard Dawes. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$ (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 179.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Henry Boyse, citizen and tallow-chandler, of London, by his last will, dated 3 Nov., 1638, and proved 20 Dec., 1642, made his wife Elizabeth residuary legatee and executrix. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 180.

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Elizabeth Boyse, widow, of St. Dunstan's in the East, London, by her last will, dated 23 Dec., 1642, and proved 2 May, 1645, bequeathed her residuary personal estate to her son John when he should be 21 years old. Her father, John Gace, was to have the education of the son and the profit of the son's portion towards the same till he should be 21. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 181.

1642. 29 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Boyse, of London, tallow-chandler. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 182 *and* 183.

1653. 21 July. Certificate by John Clare and Thos. Rucke.

Henry Boyce [or Boyse] is dead, and John Boyce, now living, is his eldest son and heir. Henry Boyce did not by his last will bequeath his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 184.

Memorandum that John Ashley by his last will, dated 5 Dec., 1642, and proved 12 Oct., 1643, bequeathed all his possessions to his wife, Elizabeth, and made her his sole executrix. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 185.

1642. 31 March. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Ashley, of London, fishmonger or grocer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 186–188.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Sampson Sheffield, by his last will and testament, proved 19 April, 1653, directed that if Ireland should be reduced and land allotted for his investment, his executor should let it and apply the profits to the maintenance of his children till his sons be 21 and till his daughters are 21 or married, whichever should first happen. The

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land in Ireland and profits thereof should be apportioned in equal parts amongst all his children. His executors should have power to sell that part thereof which should be allotted to his daughters, Christian and Mary, the profits thereof to be paid to those daughters three months after their marrying or attaining the age of 21, whichever should first happen.

Stephen Estwick, brother of the said deceased, and Benjamin Archer, apprentice to the deceased's brother, Waring, were appointed executors under this will, but renounced executions thereof, and power of administration was granted to Jane, the wife of Sampson Sheffield. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 189.

164$\frac{7}{8}$. 7 and 8 Jan. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £195, from Sampson Sheffield, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 190 *and* 193.

20 and 30 April. 8 and 15 July. Four of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from same. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each. One endd. Ibid.* 191, 192, 194 *and* 195.

1653. 25 July. Assignment by Mary Morris, of London, widow.

Assigning the share in the Irish adventure, which she holds by the will of John Morris, late of London, wax-chandler, deceased, to John Williams, of Bermondsey Street, Southwark, felt-maker. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 196.

Certificate by Tibbs.

John Morris, of St. Mary Magdalene parish, Bermondsey, by his last will, dated 16 Sep. and proved 11 Dec., 1650, made his wife, Mary, his residuary legatee and sole executrix. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 197.

1 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Morris, as above, paid in £125 for the Irish adventure on March 28, 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 198.

1642. 8 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 from Morris, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 199.

1653. 21 July. Deposition by Jane, wife of James Perry, of St. Olave's, Southwark.

John Morris, who invested £100 in the Irish adventure, died in Nov., 1650. He left no issue or brother, but three sisters—Jane, Margaret and Katharine. Jane and Margaret died without issue, and Katharine married one William Williams, and had issue by him John Williams. John is now living in the parish of St. Olave's, Southwark, and deponent believes he is heir-at-law to John Morris. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *dated and certified by* Robt. Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 200.

10 Dec. Assignment by Abraham Otger, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which he holds by bequest from James Caulier, late of London, merchant, deceased,

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and which has fallen in East Meath, to John Nary, of New Malton, Yorks., Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 201.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200 from Caulier, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 202.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Caulier, by his last will, dated 24 April, 1647, and proved 8 May, 1647, made Abraham Otgher, or Otger, his partner, residuary legatee and executor. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 203.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Richard Porter, of Lamberhurst, in Kent, Esq., in and by a codicil annexed to his last will and bearing date 7 Feb., 165⅔, bequeathed his adventure in Ireland to his son, Richard Porter, or, if Richard died under 21, to his son, John. The will and codicil were proved 15 July, 1653. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., as above. Ibid.* 204.

19 and 30 April. 1 and 18 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Richard Porter, of Abbot's Langley, in Herts. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 205–209.

Certificate by Tibbes.

Thos. Brockett, citizen and pewterer, of London, by his last will, dated 1 Mar., and proved 7 May, 165⅔, bequeathed to his daughter Sarah his share in the Irish adventure. Leah Brockett, the testator's wife, was made executrix of the will. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 210.

18 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10s., from Thos. Brockett, of Southreke [Southwark], as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 211 *and* 212.

1652. 30 July. Certificate by Andrewes.

Thomas Brockett, &c., as above, on 28 March, 1642, paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 213.

1642. 9 May. 18 July. Three receipts by Walter White, sheriff of the city and county of Exeter, in all for £20, from Amell or Amiell Hart, of "Axminster, in Devon," mercer. *P.* ¾, *on same page. Ibid.* 214.

1654. 9 Sep. Assignment by Hart "of Lyme Regis, in the Co. of Dorset."

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, Co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Ibid.* 215.

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15 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £35, from Simon Rumny, of Mayfield, in Sussex. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 217.

1654. 18 April. 14 July. Two of same by same, in all for £25, from Mrs. Lucy Roche, of Rumford? [Romford], spinster. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 216 *and* 218.

23 March. 15 June. 16 July. Three of same by same, in all for £100, from Thos. Jackson, in the Old Jewry, London, pewterer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 219–221.

1653. 22 July. Deposition by Michael Best, of London, "upholder."

Richard Walcott, of London, Esq., deceased, did not leave any bequest of his share in the Irish adventure. Richard Walcott, of London, now living, is his only son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Certified and dated by* Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 222.

1642. 14 April. 15 July. Receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £583 10*s.* and £16 10*s.*, in all £600, from Walcott, as above. *P.* ½, *the receipt for the smaller sum, which was allowed as a rebate, endorsed on the receipt for the larger. Ibid.* 223.

1643. 28 Aug. 6 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Caldwell Farrington, of Portsoken Ward, or of Coleman Street, London, merchant. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 224 *and* 225.

1642. 8 April. 28 June. 19 July. Three receipts by Walter White, sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from Thos. Parris, of Exeter, merchant. *Certified by* Alderman Andrewes. *In all, p.* ½, *on one sheet. Endd. Ibid.* 226.

23 March. 22 June. 19 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Hall, of London, "cordwinder." *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd. Ibid.* 227–9.

1654. 8 May. Assignment by Thos. Hall, as above.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Massereene, to Sir John Clotworthy, kt., of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 230.

28 March. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Procktor, or Prockter, of London, weaver. *Each p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 231 *and* 233.

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22 July. Certificate by Johanna Prockter.
Her late husband, Henry, by his will made her executrix, but did not bequeath his share in the Irish adventure. John Prockter is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 232.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from Thos. Vyner, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 234.

24 March. 19 July. Three of same by same, in all £500, from Wm. Flesher, of London, "fishmonger." *Each p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 235–237.

1653. 19 July. Deposition by Christopher Webster, of Beckingham, in Kent, gentleman, *æt* 36 or thereabouts.
He well knew Wm. Flesher, of London, "linen draper," deceased, and Benjamin Flesher is his eldest son and heir. His father made no assignment by will of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *and certified and dated by* Robt. Aylett. *Ibid.* 238.
Certificate by Tibbs.
Flesher's will does not bequeath his Irish adventure. It was proved 20 June, 1645. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 239.

1642. 19 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from John Rolle, M.P. *Each p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 240 *and* 242.

30 April. 19 July. Two of same by same, in all for £200, from Thos. Hussey, or Thos. Hussy, jun. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 241 *and* 244.

28 March. 9 and 16 July. Three of same by same, in all for £200, from James Fletcher, of London, "gaberdasher," or haberdasher. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 243, 245 *and* 246.

24 March. 2 April. 6 July. Three of same by same, in all for £200, from John Oldfield, of London, fishmonger. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 247–249.

1643. 17 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from John Owfield, citizen and fishmonger, of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 250.

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21 Nov. Assignment by Nicholas Ingham, of Waltham Abbey, in Essex, eldest son and heir of Nicholas Ingham, of Farnham, in Essex, deceased.

Assigning the share in the Irish adventure, which he has inherited from his father, and which has fallen in Eastmeath, to his brother Thomas Ingham, of Hertford, in Herts., yeoman. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 251.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The will of Nicholas Ingham, as above, dated 6 Jan., 165$\frac{4}{5}$, and proved 4 June, 1656, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. It made Thos. Ingham, sole executor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 252.

165$\frac{6}{7}$. Assignment by Thos. Ingham, as above.

3 Feb. Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Navan, to Wm. Tibbes, or Tibbs, citizen and stationer, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 253.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £40, from Nicholas Ingham, of Farnham, in Essex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 254.

22 March. 18 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from Ralph Minors, of Hertford, schoolmaster. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 255 *and* 256.

1653. 16 June. Assignment by Thos. Godfrey, of Hoddiford [?], in Kent.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Edmund Harrison, the late King's "imbroderer." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 257.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Edmund Harrison, of London, his Majesty's imbroderer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 258 *and* 259.

1643. 18 July. One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from Harrison, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 260.

17 July. Same by same for same amount, from Thos. Godfrey, of Hodiford, in Kent. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 263.

1642. 31 March. 18 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from John Sturdy, of London, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 261 *and* 262.

24 March. 19 July. Two of same by same, in all for £50, from John Carter, of London, leatherseller. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 264 *and* 265.

Certificate by George Carpenter, parish clerk of St. Alban's, Wood Street, London.

Rebecca Carter, daughter of John Carter and Joan his wife, was baptized at St. Alban's, Wood Street, London, May 13, 1638

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as the register will make it appear. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.), and underwritten with note in same hand* that Thos. Lea, son-in-law to John Carter and a son of the said Joan Carter, was buried at St. Alban's, Wood Street, London, on Jan. 1, 164$\frac{2}{3}$. *In all, p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 266.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Laurence Peacock, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 267.

6 April. 28 June. 19 July. Four of same by same, in all for £200, from Thomas Brinley, or Brinsley, of St. John's Street, Esq. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 268–271.

1654. 1 June. Indenture of agreement between Thomas Brinley, of Datchet, Bucks., on the one part, and Benjamin Andrews, citizen and goldsmith, of London, and Wm. Currer, of the same, mercer, of the other.

Brinley assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Currer and Andrews. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Brinley *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 272.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £200 paid in by Humphrey Bedingfield, of London, goldsmith. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 273.

19 July. Same by same for £25, from John Player, minister of Kennington, in Kent. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 274.

Same. Same by same for £60, from Wm. Ridges, of London, skinner. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 275.

Note on the sum allowed to Wm. Ridges. *P.* $\frac{1}{5}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 275.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Nathaniel Hallowes, M.P., alderman of Derby, paid in at the Guildhall, £350 for himself and his company, including Thomas Pargiter, grocer, on April 1, 1642. Pargiter's share thereof was £25. The receipt is lost and has not been doubled or converted to any profitable use. Certificate accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 276.

1642. 7 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Thos. Pargiter, of London, grocer, for Ireland. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 278.

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19 April. 15 July. Two of same by same, in all for £600, from Nicholas Stoughton, of Stoughton, in Surrey, and his friends. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 277 *and* 282.

1643. 22 July. 10 Aug. 4 Sep. Three of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £150, from Stoughton. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each. Ibid.* 279–281.

Note on the investments of Christ's Hospital by Richard Glyd, and Nicholas Stoughton, Richard Glyd's guardian. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 283.

Note on the title of the Corporation of London [as Governors of Christ's Hospital. They are called] "the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of London, Governors of the possessions, revenues and goods of the hospitals of Edward King of England the VI., of Christ's Bridewell and St. Thomas the Apostle." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 284.

1653. Oath by Richard Glyd, of London, *æt.* 66 or thereabouts.

2 Aug. Thomas Evans, who adventured £100 with Stoughton and others for Ireland, assigned his interest to John Evans, of Stoke, in Surrey, gentleman. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Dated and certified by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 285.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Nicholas Stoughton, as above, by his will dated 28 Feb., and proved 20 March, 164$\frac{7}{8}$, gave his share in the Irish adventure to his nephew, Nicholas Stoughton. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 286.

Further certificate by same.

Giving details of the investments of Stoughton, John and Thos. Evans, and Richard Glyd. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 287.

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John Evans, of Stoke, in Surrey, by his last will, dated 9 June, and proved 19 June, 1651, desired that his personal estate should go to burying him in a very private manner with the least trouble. By a note dated June, 1651, he gave his Irish adventure to Christ Church Hospital. The will was proved before Wm. Foorthe, LL.D. and surrogate, by the oath of Richard Glyd, executor. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 288.

Further note on the adventure of Stoughton, Evans, and others. Unimportant details. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 289.

165$\frac{5}{6}$. 25 Feb. Indenture of agreement between Nicholas, eldest son and heir of Anthony, and nephew and next heir of Nicholas Stoughton as above, and John Upton, of London, Esq. and George Clarke, of London, merchant.

For £175 and interest thereon paid him Stoughton assigns to Clarke and Upton his shares of £137 10*s.* paid in, being part of a share of £750 which his late uncle and others had in the Irish adventure, and of £50 which is allowed him as the lot of £250 which his father invested jointly with others. These sums are allowed to the assignor by the Committee of Claims. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 *(large parchment). Signed (Hol.) by* Stoughton *and five witnesses, who also witnessed some additions to the text. Endd. Ibid.* 290.

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6 Oct. Indenture of agreement between Richard Glyd, of London, Esq., and Upton and Clark, as above, of the other.

Glyd assigns his share of £100 in Stoughton's adventure of £750, which sum properly belongs to him, to Clarke and Upton in return for £100 paid him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Glyd, *before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 291.

3 Oct. Same between the "Mayor, Commonalty and Citizens of London, Governors of the possessions, revenues and goods of Christ's Hospital, of Edward King of England the Sixth, of Christ's Bridewell and St. Thomas the Apostle," of the one part, and Clark and Upton, as aforesaid, of the other.

The Mayor, &c., of London, for £500, assign to Clark and Upton their share of £512 10*s.* in Stoughton's adventure. This sum properly belonged to John Evans, late of Stoke, in Surrey, gent., who by his last will, dated 9 June, 1650, bequeathed it to Christ's Hospital. Usual covenants. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *on back by* Richard Glyd, treasurer, Charles Lloyd, Richard Rochdale, John Saunders, William Humble and John Frepin [??]. *Endd. Ibid.* 292.

165¾. Agreement between Upton and Clarke, as aforesaid.

3 Jan. Recites the assignments to them of John Stoughton's adventure by the parties thereto [*for which see foregoing documents*]. They agree together and assign each to other one moiety of the share thus acquired, with usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Upton. *Endd. Ibid.* 293.

1654. Same between Clarke, as above, merchant, and Eliah Palmer, of
16 May. London, Esq.

Recites the bequest of the adventure of £512 from Evans to the Mayor, &c., of London, as Governor of Christ's Hospital, their assignment to Clarke and Upton, the assignment of £100 share by Glyd to the same, and the assignment of Upton to Clark in foregoing [*see foregoing, Nos.* 288 *et seq.*]. Clark for £367 10*s.*, paid him by Palmer, assigns him all his share in the £512 and £100 shares in the adventure. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Clark, *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 294.

Same. Same by Robert Moulsworth, of Dublin, merchant.

One half of the share of £512 10*s.* in the Irish adventure, originally taken by John Evans, has come to him by good assignments and means. The lot therefor has been drawn, and has fallen in the barony of Morgallion. He assigns £87 10*s.* part of the same to John Bligh, of London, linen-draper. The value of this lot was doubled by the ordinance of July, 1643. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed* (*Hol.*), *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 295.

18 April. Indenture between John Upton and Robert Moulsworth, as aforesaid.

Recites the foregoing assignments by which lots of £750 and £50 came into Clark's and Upton's hands. Upton assigns his half thereof to Moulsworth. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Upton. *Endd. Ibid.* 296.

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Note on Maurice Thompson's adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 297.

5 June. Assignment by John Smith, citizen and haberdasher of London.

For consideration he assigns his £50 in the Irish adventure to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 298.

1652. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

20 May. John Smith, citizen and haberdasher of London, paid in £25 for the Irish adventure on 31 March and 22 June, 1642. He received receipts before, but they are lost and have not been made use of. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 299.

1646. 28 April. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £75 from Joseph Jaques, citizen and brewer of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 300.

1642. 19 April. 16 Nov. 1643. 30 Jan. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from same. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 301–3.

1646. 19 June. Indenture of agreement between Joseph Jaques, the elder, freeman of the company of brewers of London, and Joseph Jaques, the younger, his son and heir.

The father, for natural affection, assigns to him his £375 in the Irish adventure. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by the assignor before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 304.

1654. 10 Oct. Assignment by Benjamin Bannister, or Bannaster, of London, apothecary.

Assigning to Richard Quiny £100 in the Irish adventure, which is his share of the joint investment of £700 paid in by himself, Wm. Hubbard of London, merchant-tailor; Richard Quiny of London, grocer; John Sadler, Geo. Plucknett, of Westminster, scrivener; Richard Chandler of London, haberdasher, and Henry Harwell, of London, same. The lot has fallen in the barony of Garrycastle, King's Co. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 305.

1642. 20 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £175, from Richard Quiney, of London, grocer, & Co. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. with* note of the shares taken by the members of the Company. *Ibid.* 306.

16 July. Same by same for £75, from Henry Harwell, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 307.

Same. Same by same for £75, from George Plucknett, of Westminster, scrivener. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 310.

Same. Same by same for same, from Richard Chandler, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 308.

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16 July. Same for same sum, from Benjamin Bannister, of London, apothecary. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 293, 309.

Same. Same for same, from Wm. Hubbard, of London, merchant-tailor, *with note* that he and others in his company paid in additional sums of £25 each. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 311.

Same. Same for £150, from Richard Quyney and John Sadler. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 312.

Extract from the will of William Hubbard, merchant-tailor.

He divides his property into three equal parts, one-third to his wife Mary, one-third in equal parts among his children, and one-third to pay his debts. He bequeaths 40*s.* to his sister to buy her a ring.

Will dated 14 January and proved 8 July, 1653. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 313.

1649. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.
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Nathaniel Hallowes, M.P., Alderman of Derby, advanced £1,400 for the Irish adventure, £300 thereof being "for his own particular." *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 314.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. Assignment by Nathaniel Hallowes, as above.
12 Jan. Assigning his lot in Ireland which has fallen in the "north east quarter No. 1" of the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, to William Watts, of Westminster, grocer. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 315.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the
18 July. King and Parliament, for £37 10*s.*, from Wm. Sledd, *jun.*, of London, ironmonger. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with note* by Sledd's nephew that he paid £12 10*s.* more in a sum adventured by Southwark. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *as above. Ibid.* 316.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.
2 March. Sledd paid in £12 10*s.*, as above, on 28 March, 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 317.

1652. Assignment by Thos. Aleyn, of London, Esq.
20 Nov.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 318.

1653. Same by Hawkins.
7 April. Assigning same to Edward Moseley, Esq., one of the Commissioners for the administration of justice in Scotland. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 321.

Same. Covenant by Hawkins for further assurances to Mosley. *Ibid.* 319.

1642.

16 April. 7, 12 and 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Thos. and Wm. Allen, of London, "groscers." *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 293, 320 *and* 322–4.

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S.P. IRELAND 294.

Certificate by Thos. Salmon and Richard Davies.

Elizabeth, Margaret and Jane Downing and Anne Combes are the only daughters and co-heirs of Dr. "Callibut" Downing. Richard Combes, of Hackney, married Anne. He made no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 294, 1.

1642. 23 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 from "Calybute" Downing, D.D., for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 2.

1653. 22 July. Assignment by Elizabeth, Margaret, and Jane Downing, spinsters, Anne, their sister, and Richard Combes.

They are daughters of "Callibutt" Downing, as above. They and Richard Combes assign the share which was inherited by them from their father to Robert Norman, of Hackney, gentleman. *P.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., by the assignors. Endd. Ibid.* 3.

1642. 30 April. 7 and 12 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £175, from Geo. Clarke, or Clark, of London, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one underwritten with a note* that Mr. Hollis, a Parliament man, holds a receipt for £25 more with the rest of the company. *Each endd. Ibid.* 4, 5 *and* 6.

1643. 14 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 7.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On April 1, 1642, Nathaniel Hallowes paid in £350 for the Irish adventure. This was a fourth of £1,400 in which £1,400 Geo. Clark, as above, had a share of £100, so that his share in the sum paid in was £25. The receipt has been lost and oath has been made that it has not been doubled or converted. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 8.

1653.

23 July. Certificate by Hoogan Hovell and John Seed.

Josiah Hunt is son and heir to "Richard Hunt, of London, skinner." *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 294, 9.

1642. 22 March. 21 June. 16 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from "Richard Hunt, of London, skinner." *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 10, 11 *and* 13.

1643. 2 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from "Richard Hunt." *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 12.

1642. 23 March. 16 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from "Richard Hunt, of London, mercer." *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 15 *and* 16.

30 April. 16 July. Two of same by same, in all for £100, from "Richard Huntt," or "Richard Hunt, of London, mercer," for his subscription to the "additional forces by sea for Ireland." *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 14 *and* 17.

1643. 2 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £58 6*s.* 8*d.*, from "Richard Hunt, of London, mercer." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 19.

1642. 19 July. Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £160, from Samuel Ferris, or Ferres. *P.* ½. *Endd. with* assignment dated 30 Nov., 1649, of this share by Ferris to "Richard Hunt, of the Ward of Broad St.," London. *The assignment signed, &c., by* Ferris *before witnesses. In all, pp.* 1¼. *Ibid.* 18 *and* 18*a*.

1653. 3 July. Assignment by Elias Deline, of London, clerk.

Assigning the lot which he has inherited from his father, Philip, to Elizabeth Deline, of Canterbury, in Kent. *Pp.* 1½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 20.

Same. Certificate by James Deven and Peter Deline.

Elias Deline, of London, clerk, is eldest son and heir of Philip Deline, of London, deceased. He left no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 21.

1642. 13 April. 6 and 14 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £20, from Wm. Leet, of London, citizen and cordwinder. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 22, 23 *and* 24.

1649. 13 July. Assignment [or Bill of Sale] by Martha, wife of Wm. Leet.

For her husband she assigns the lot aforementioned to Hunt. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.), &c., by* Martha Leet *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 26.

14 July. Acknowledgment by Leet, as above.

Allowing a bill of sale of his share in the Irish adventure, signed by his wife, to Richard Hunt, of London, mercer (*see foregoing*). *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 25.

1642.

20 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Philip Deline, of Canterbury, clerk. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 294, 27, 29.

29 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the same, in all for £100, from Peter De Lanoy, of London, dyer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 28 *and* 30.

25 March. 16 July. Two of same by same, in all for £200, by Peter Ducane, or Duquesne, of London, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 31 *and* 32.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Of the lot of £1,400 for which Nathaniel Hallowes paid in £350 on 1 April, 1642, Richard Collett had a share of £100, and his share of the £350 was therefore £25. As the receipt for the £350 has been lost and not transferred, this certificate is given. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 33.

1642. 7 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Richard Collett, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 34.

1643. 14 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 35.

1654. 13 July. Assignment by Richard Collett, of Kingsbury, in Middlesex, eldest son and heir of Richard Collett, as above.

Assigning the lot of £125—which is doubled in value—and which has fallen in the barony of Middlethird, to Rowland Hill, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 36.

1643. 5 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £37 10*s.*, from John Short, of London, gentleman. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 37.

1653. 23 April. Certificate by the Treasurers of July, 1643.

The £37 10*s.* subscribed by Short was one-fourth of a share of £150 which he had in the lot of £1,200 shared between himself, Sir Samuel Oulfield, M.P., of Gatton, in Surrey, deceased, and Richard Staper, of London, gentleman. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Kendrick *and* Avery. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 38.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by John Watson, servant to Sir Samuel Oldfield, Oufield or Owfield, for £150 paid him by Short for the joint adventures of Short and Oldfield. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Watson. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 39.

1642. 14 May. Indenture of agreement between Short and Staper.

The survivor of them to take the other's interest in their adventure in Ireland. Short agrees that, in case he should die first, he will leave Staper £50 in his will to make up for the differences between their investments. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Staper *before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 40.

1654.

15 Nov. Assignment by Staper as survivor of Short.

Assigning Short's share in their joint adventure to Sarah, widow of the said John Short. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 294, 41.

1642. 7 April. 4 May. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Ezekias Woodward, of London, gent. *Each p.* ⅔, *and each endd. with assignment thereof dated* 24*th May*, 1653, *by Woodward to Richard Burnham, of London, goldsmith. The assignment signed before witnesses. Ibid.* 43, 43, 44*a and* 44*a*.

19 April. One of same by same for £100, from Mary Dutton, of Westminster. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. with assignment thereof dated* 31 *July*, 1648, *by Mary Dutton, now Mary Hayes, and by her husband, Richard Hayes, to Richard Burnham, of Richmond, Surrey. In all, pp.* 1⅔. *Ibid.* 45 *and* 45*a*.

1654. 17 Nov. Assignment by Burnham, as above.

Assigning one-third of his share of £300, which has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, to Hezekiah Woodward, of Bray [Berks], clerk. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

Same. Same by same.

Assigning the remaining £200 of his share to John Pye, of Westminster, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 47.

12 Sept. Same by Mary Towse, of Kingston-on-Thames, widow; Robert Wood, of same, and his wife Mary, and Elizabeth and Anne Towse, of same, spinsters.

Assigning their lot of £700, which has been allowed, and has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, to James Edwards, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses, Anne signing with her mark. Endd. Ibid.* 48.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of John Towse, alderman of London, dated 27 May and proved 30 June, 1645, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. He had only three daughters, Mary, Elizabeth and Anne. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 49.

1654. 18 Sept. Certificate by Robert Winch, of Cheapside, London.

He knew John Towse, as above. Towse had no son, but three daughters, who are now living. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 50.

1642. 20 April. 17 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from Alderman Towse, as above. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 51 *and* 52.

1653. 21 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On 31 March, 1642, Sir William Armyne, Bart., of Orton Longeveile, in Huntingdon, subscribed £400 for the Irish adventure, and in

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1642 paid in the £400, £100 coming through Sir Richard Stone, High Sheriff of Huntingdon. The receipts have been lost and not doubled or used for profit. Certificate accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by* Andrewes. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 53.

1654. 17 April. Declaration by Lady Armyne, widow; Sir William Armyne, son and heir; and Michael Armyne, of Gray's Inn, also son of Sir Wm. Armyne, Bt. [*see foregoing*].

For the late Sir William Armyne's investment of £400 in the Irish adventure £350 has been allowed by the Committee of Claims and the lot has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, co. Westmeath. They desire that the land thereto allotted be divided into three equal parts and separate certificates given therefor by the committee. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), &c., by the parties. Endd. Ibid.* 55.

Certificate by Tibbs.

He has seen an agreement between the parties to the foregoing, dated 9 Dec., 1651. It made arrangements similar to those made by the foregoing. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 54.

1653. 9 April. Assignment by Theophilus Frobisher, citizen and painter-stainer of London.

Of the £600 [? £400] paid in by Sir Wm. Armyne "late of Asgodby in Lincolnshire, Kt," £50 belonged to Elizabeth Frobisher, of London, spinster, and was only paid in by Sir Wm. in trust. Elizabeth bequeathed that sum to assignor. Lady Armyne and her sons Sir William and Michael also assigned that sum to him by assignment dated 16 Feb., 165⅔. In return for £22 2*s.* paid him by Wm. Sheppey, weaver, of London, Frobisher assigns this share of £50 to him. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾ *(large). Signed, &c., by* Frobisher *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 56.

1642. 30 March. Receipt by Sir Richard Stone, Sheriff of Huntingdonshire, for £100 paid in by Sir Wm. Armyne the elder, as above. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 57.

30 June. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from same. *Each p.* ⅔, *both endd. Ibid.* 58 *and* 59.

165⅔. 16 Feb. Assignment by Lady Armyne and her sons to Frobisher, as recited in *S.P. Ireland* 294, 56, *above, q.v. P.* 1 *(parchment). Signed, &c., by the parties. Endd. Ibid.* 60.

165¾. 24 Feb. Same by Anthony Reynolds, citizen and joiner of London.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure for good consideration to Richard Hutchinson, citizen and linen draper of London. It has fallen in Tipperary. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

1642. 2 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £30, from Anthony Reynolds, clerk of the parish of Botolph, Billingsgate. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 63.

1653.

9 Nov. Assignment by Anthony Dowse, of London, citizen and haberdasher.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, to Arthur Ruddle, of London, gent. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 294, 62.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from Anthony Dowse, of London, haberdasher. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 63.

9 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of the City and County of Exeter for £200 paid to him for the Irish adventure by Richard Evans, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$ *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 65.

30 May. 18 July. Two of same by same for same sum by same paid in for the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 66.

1649. 20 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums of £150 and £50 advanced in their name by Richard Evans on 30 May and 18 July, 1642, are not theirs, but belong to Evans. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 67.

1653. 6 July. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Sir Thomas Hartopp subscribed £150 to the Irish adventure for Thos. White, of Leicester, clerk, besides £50 for houses and lands in Waterford. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 68.

1643. 5 July. Receipt by Kendrick and Avery, Treasurers appointed "upon the new ordinance of Parliament for relief of Ireland," for £200, from Hartopp, for which he is to receive satisfaction in lands. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *not in usual form. Endd. Ibid.* 69.

1653. 5 July. Assignment by Thomas Prince, citizen and tallow-chandler of London.

Assigning his share in the adventure to Peter Prince, tallow-chandler, of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as usual. Endd. Ibid.* 70.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 by Thomas Prince. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 72.

26 March. 19 July. Two of same, in all for £50, from Thos. and Peter Prince, citizens of London. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 71 *and* 73.

1654. 31 Aug. Assignment by Robert Holman, of ——— [Bletchingley] in Surrey.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, to James Edwards, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as usual. Endd. Ibid.* 74.

1653.

23 July. Certificate by James Evans and John Rogers.
Jeffrey Holman is dead, and Robert Holman, of Bletchingley, in Surrey, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 75.

1642. 18 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Robert and Jeffrey Holman, of Bletchingley, in Surrey, and Wm. Hampton, of the same, rector. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *both endd. Ibid.* 76 *and* 77.

13 April. 13 and 19 July. Three of same, in all for £100, from Thomas Knight, of Peter's Chalfont, in Bucks, Esq. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 78–80.

20 April. 12 and 19 July. Three of same, in all for £60, from Mrs. Margaret Aldersey, of Breadgate, Bredgard or Bedgate [Bredgar], in Kent, widow. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 82, 84 *and* 85.

1643. 29 Aug. 25 Sep. Four of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, from same, in all for £50. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 81, 83, 83*a and* 86.

14 April. 6, 15 and 19 July. Four of same by same, in all for £40, from John Winckley, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 88, 89, 90 *and* 91.

18 July. One of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £150 from Thomas and John Taylor. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 87.

1649. 6 Oct. Assignment by Winckley or Wingfield, as above.
Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to his brother, Tobias. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 92.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by Warner and Andrews for £10 4*s.* 4*d.*, from John Woodhead, of Halifax, scrivener. This is rebate money allowed to Sir Thos. Gower, High Sheriff of Yorkshire. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Ibid.* 93.

26 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £220, from John Woodhead, of Halifax. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 94 *and* 96.

1653. 19 July. Certificate by Edward Slate.
Wm. Woodhead, now living, is the eldest son of John Woodhead, late of Halifax, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 95.

1652. 13 Nov. Assignment by John Lamott, of London, Esq.
Assigning his share to Sir John Wittewrong, of Rothamstead, in Herts. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 97.

1642. 18 and 26 March. 28 April. 4 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Lamott, or Le Mott, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 98–101.

1642.

30 April. 16 July. Three of same, in all for £625, from Gilbert Lambell, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 294, 102–4.

7 July. One of same for £37 10*s.*, from John Williams, of Southwark, feltmaker. *P.* ⅓. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 105.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

1 July. Williams, as above, advanced £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure in March, 1642. No receipt was given therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd.* *Ibid.* 106.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of the city and co. of Exeter, in all for £400, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter by the hands of James Marshall, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 107.

1649. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

20 Sep. The sums paid in by Marshall—as in foregoing—do not belong to them. Marshall himself may dispose of them. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the City.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 108.

165½. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

2 March. Elizabeth Moreton paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*). *Endd.* *Ibid.* 109.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Elizabeth Morton, of St. Mary Magdalene's [Milk St., London], widow. *P.* ⅔. *Endd.* *with note* that the remaining £12 10*s.* was paid in together with the money for the borough of Southwark. *Ibid.* 110.

1653. Certificate by John Williams and Thos. Crowder.

23 July. Wm. Whitaker married Elizabeth Morton, widow. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 111.

1642. 20 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Robert Barfoote, or Barefoote, of London, leatherseller. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 112 *and* 113.

25 March. 15 July. Two of same by same, in all for £200, from Peter Houblon, or Houbleon, of London, dyer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 114 *and* 115.

1653. Certificate by Andrewes.

12 July. Daniel Mercer, dyer, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642, as part of a subscription of £200. No receipt was given therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd.* *Ibid.* 116.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Mercer, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 117.

1653.

22 July. Certificate by Peter Houblon and John Ducane.

Daniel Mercer, of Southwark, dyer, is deceased, and Daniel Mercer, now living, is his eldest son and heir. During his lifetime he made no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 294, 118.

1642. 6 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from James, John and Edward Ash. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 119 *and* 120.

1653. 21 July. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Margaret Church, of New Windsor, widow, late wife of Wm. Church, paid in £30 for houses and lands in Limerick on 28 July, 1643. *P.* ⅔. *Attested by* Samuel Avery. *Ibid.* 121.

Same. Deposition by Wm. Church, of New Windsor, Berks., tallow-chandler, *æt.* 27.

His mother Margaret is dead. She adventured £30 for Irish lands, the receipt for which is lost. It has not been used. *P.* ⅔. *Dated and certified by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 122.

Certificate by Wm. Stevenson, mayor, Geo. Starkey, Ben. Burges, Henry and Robert Harris.

William Church, of New Windsor, tallow-chandler, is son and heir of Wm. Church, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 123.

Same by Tibbs.

Margaret Church by her will dated 4 July, 1644, and proved 6 Feb., 164⅘, made her son sole executor. The will did not dispose of her Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 124.

1 Dec. Assignment by John Barker, of College Green, in Worcester, lately M.P.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in Eastmeath, to Daniel Herringhook, of "Harbertstock, in Essex." Usual covanants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 125.

1654. 13 June. Same by Herringhook, as aforesaid, doctor of physic.

Assigning the share assigned him by Barker, which has fallen in the barony of Navan, to John Fullerton, citizen and clothworker of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 126.

22 June. Same by Fullerton, as above.

Assigning same to James Wainwright, citizen and haberdasher of London. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as above. Ibid.* 127.

165$\frac{3}{4}$.

3 March. Same by John Barker, as above.

Assigning £400 out of his adventure of £1,200 to Ambrose Moore, of Covent Garden, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 294, 128.

1653. Same by same.

10 Dec. Assigning £600 more of his share to Moore, as above. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *as above. Ibid.* 129.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

30 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from Barker, as above.

19 July. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 130 *and* 131.

1653. Certificate by Wm. Whittaker and Wm. Hiccoks.

23 July. John Glascock married Margaret King. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 132.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. Same by Alderman Andrewes.

2 March. Margaret King advanced £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. She got no receipt therefor. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 133.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

19 July. King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from King, of Southwark, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. with note* that her first £12 10*s.* was paid in by King with the borough of Southwark. *Ibid.* 134.

19 April. Three of same, in all for £100, from Arthur Lloyd, of London,

6 and 19 haberdasher, and Joshua Lloyd, of Bristol, merchant, also

July. described as "Arthur and Joshua Lloyd, of London." *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 135, 136 *and* 138.

1653. Certificate by George Snell, goldsmith, in Lombard Street.

23 July. Arthur Lloyd died 26 Feb., 165$\frac{0}{1}$, and made his wife sole executrix, and left behind him four children, one son and three daughters. The son and one daughter are dead and the daughters, Abigail and Sarah, remain co-heirs. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *(Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 137.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

16 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Richard Turnor, or

16 July. Turner, of London, *sen.*, and Captain Richard Turnor, *jun. Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 138*a and* 139.

30 April. Two of same by same, in all for £200, from Richard Turnor,

16 July. "in the additional forces for Ireland by sea." *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 140 *and* 141.

1654. Assignment by Wm. Nukine, or Nutkins, of Okingham, in Berks.

22 April. Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the barony of Skreen, to George Clark, or Clarke, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 142.

1654.

22 April. Same by John Bateman, of same.

Assigning his lot, which has also fallen in the barony of Skreen, to Clark, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *&c., as above. S.P. Ireland* 294, 143.

Same. Same by Michael Marlow, of same.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen as foregoing, to same. *P.* 1, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 144.

1643. 4 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £6 5*s.*, from Michael Marlow, of Okingham, Berks. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 145.

Same. Same for same sum, from John Bateman, of same *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 147.

Undated. Same for same sum, from Wm. Watkins, of same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 146.

1642. 19 April. 15 July. 8 Oct. 164⅔. 2 Jan. Four of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from John Bateman, of Wokingham, minister; Wm. Nutkins, Michael Marlow, and Angel or Angelo Bell. *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd. Ibid.* 148–151.

1653. 20 July. Certificate by Richard Hampden.

As son and heir of John Hampden, late of Great Hampden, in Bucks., he certifies that £20, part of his father's adventure of £1,000, belonged of right to Joseph Routhe, and that £5 thereof belonged to Nathan Birch. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 152.

1655. 1 May. Assignment by Richard Welch and John Lydall, or Lidall, of Great Hampden, and Samuel, son and heir of Nathan Birch, late of Little Hampden, in same.

Assigning £45, part of the adventure of the late John Hampden, which properly belongs to them, to Joseph Routhe, of Great Hampden, aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., by the parties, as above. Endd. Ibid.* 153.

12 May. Same by Joseph Routh, Rowthe or Routhe, as above.

Assigning a share of £65, which is his by investment or assignment and which has fallen in the barony of Connello, to Giles Harding, citizen and baker of London, in return for £39 paid him by Harding. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 154.

Extract from the will of Thos. Snowe, citizen and baker of London, dated 2 May, 1651, and proved 5 Jan., 165½.

He bequeathed his share of £100 in the Irish adventure to his wife, Barbary Snowe, provided that she, within a month after receiving the same, should pay one half thereof to the churchwardens and other officers of the parish of St. Giles without Cripplegate.

The said churchwardens shall in the following summer, after they receive such sum of £50 lay it out in the purchase of "sea

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cole," which is cheapest in summer time, and such coal shall be sold to the poor of the said parish at cost price, so that the stock may be made good. This stock shall continue to be used for the benefit of the poor of the parish. *P.* 1. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 294, 155.

1653. 19 Aug. Assignment by Barbara Snowe, of St. Giles without Cripplegate, widow, late wife of Thos. Snowe, of London, whitebaker, deceased.

Assigning the share of £100, which her late husband bequeathed to her to Robert Wallis, of Broughton, Hunts, in return for £50 received. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Barbara *with her mark before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 156.

1642. 28 March. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Snowe, "whitebaker." *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 157 *and* 157*a*.

1654. 30 June. Assignment by Daniel Pennington, citizen and fishmonger of London.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of Counay [Coonagh], co. Limerick, to Francis Bigge, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 158.

13 Oct. Same by Bigge, as above.

Assigning £100 of the share assigned to him by the foregoing to Giles Harding, citizen and baker of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 159.

20 July. Same by same.

Assigning £150 of his lot to John Barrett, citizen and joiner of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 160.

1642. 16 April. Declaration by Isaac Pennington, alderman of London.

Sir Arthur Ingram has assigned him his share of £1,000 in the Irish adventure. Daniel Pennington, fishmonger, of London, is a sharer with him in this adventure to the extent of £200, and Isaac will be answerable to him for all profits due on that £200. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 161.

18 April. Receipt by Isaac Pennington for £50 from Daniel Pennington. *P.* $\frac{1}{5}$. *Ibid.* 162.

6 May. Declaration by Daniel Pennington.

He has invested £200 in the adventure of £1,000 [*see last but one*], and will pay in the £150 which is still due from him thereon, *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c, before witnesses. Endd. with receipt, as promised, dated* 18 *July*, 1642. *Ibid.* 163.

1643. 8 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Daniel Pennington. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 164.

1653. 15 July. Deposition by Daniel Pennington.

He has not doubled or converted his share of £200 in the £1,000 subscribed by Isaac Pennington. He does not know that any part of that adventure is transferred or doubled. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 165.

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18 April. 18 and 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from Alderman Isaac Pennington, of London, M.P. *Each p.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 166–169.

1654. 22 Aug. Assignment by Alderman Pennington, as above.

On his subscription of £1,000 for Irish affairs £500 has been allowed him by the Committee of Claims. He assigns £400, part of this lot which has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary, to Wm. Bosvile, of Gunthwaite, in Yorkshire, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 170.

Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150 from Nicholas Broking, of Exeter, merchant, by the hands of Francis Clarke, of London. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 171.

1642. 9 May. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50 paid in by Broking for the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 172.

1657. 8 Oct. Bond by Elizabeth Lacy, or Lacey, of London, widow.

She gives security in £200 to the Protector that she will keep the Committee of Claims harmless against all claims in respect of the adventure of £100 made by Richard Lacey, late of London, haberdasher. The receipts for this £100 are in the hands of Eliah Palmer, of London, merchant, who refuses to give them up; but the Committee of Claims have allowed the £100 to Nathaniel, son of the above bound Elizabeth and of the late Nathaniel Lacy, and nephew of the original investor. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 173.

1653. 23 July. Certificate by Elizabeth Lacey.

Nathaniel Lacy, now aged 6 years, is the eldest son and heir of Nathaniel Lacy, late citizen and leatherseller of London, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 174.

1642. 30 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Nathaniel and Richard Lacey. *Each p.* ⅔, *and endd. with assignment by* Lacey [?] to Richard Haywood, of Ailesbury, in Bucks., but these assignments are crossed out and the assignor's name obliterated. *Ibid.* 175–6.

1653. 5 Oct. Oath by Wm. Crofts, "of St. Saviour's, Southwark, cheesemonger, but free of the merchant tailors."

Wm. Hobson, late of Southwark, deceased, adventured for lands in Ireland £50 and £12 10*s.* for doubling. The said receipts are missing, and have not yet been doubled nor converted. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 177.

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11 Sep. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Wm. Hobson, of Southwark, grocer, paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *S.P. Ireland* 294, 178.

1653. Deposition by Wm. Crofts.

5 Oct. Wm. Hobson subscribed £125 for the Irish adventure in 1642. He is since dead, and did not bequeath this sum. Clement Hobson, now living, is reputed his only son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 179.

Extract from the will of William Hobson, citizen and grocer of London.

By this will, dated 2 April, and proved 29 July, 1654, he gave his lands, &c., to his son Clement, on his attaining the age of 21 years, to his next son if Clement died under 21, and, failing sons, to his daughter Martha. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 180.

1653. Certificate of Thos. Ruck, of London Bridge, in the parish of

1 Aug. Magnes [St. Magnus the Martyr], haberdasher.

Wm. Hobson, late citizen and grocer of London, is dead, and Clement, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 181.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

13 and 15 the King and Parliament, in all for £57 10*s.*, from Wm. Hobson,

July. as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 182 *and* 183.

1643. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same.

17 Aug. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 184.

1649. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

30 July. George Wright, of London, draper, subscribed £50 for the Irish adventure in April, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 185.

1653. Deposition by Christian Wright, of London, widow.

27 July. George Wright, deceased, adventured £50 as in foregoing. He did not bequeath it by his will, and John Wright, now living, is his eldest son and heir apparent. *P.* ⅔. *Certified and dated by* Thomas Benet. *Endd. Ibid.* 186.

1654. Assignment by Jane Pordage, of London, widow, and Samuel

22 July. Pordage, "of London, gentleman."

Assigning the lot which they received by assignment from Henry Faldoe, of London, haberdasher, to Wm. Barker, of London, Esq. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 187.

Extract from the Will of Samuel Pordage, of London, merchant.

The will dated 20 Dec., 1647, and proved 21 Feb., 164⅞, gives all his estate equally between his wife and his son Samuel. *P.* ½. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 188.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

28 March. the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Faldo, or

16 July. Faldoe, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* ½, *the first endd. with*

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declaration, dated 29 March, 1642, that this whole sum is for the benefit of his brother Samuel Pordage. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 189 *and* 190.

1654. Assignment by Wm. Barker, as above.

2 Nov. Assigning the share he has by the assignment from Samuel and Jane Pordage to Miles Corbett, one of the Commissioners of the Parliament in Ireland. It has fallen in the barony of Portnehinch, Queen's Co. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 191.

22 July. Same by Jane and Samuel Pordage.

Assigning £50 out of the lot of £100 which they have by assignment from Henry Faldo to Thomas Corbet, or Corbett, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 193.

21 Nov. Same by Thos. Corbett, as in foregoing.

Assigning his interest under foregoing to Miles Corbett, one of the Commissioners of Parliament in Ireland. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 192.

Extract from the will of Thos. Hudson, of St. George's parish, Southwark, Esq., deceased.

The will, dated 16 Sept., and proved 27 Sept., 1647, bequeathed that for his lands, his wife should have "her life in them." If his posthumous child should be a son he is to take all his lands after his mother: otherwise such lands to go to his two daughters equally and to their issue: or in default of issue of either to issue of the other. *Other details. P.* ¾. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 194.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

19 July. King and Parliament, for £75, from Thos. Hudson, of London, skinner. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 195.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

19 July. Thomas Hudson subscribed £25 for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 196.

26 July. Same.

Henry Standish, of London, cornewayner [cordwainer] paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 197.

1642. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between

19 July. the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Standish, as above.

2 Dec. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 198 *and* 199.

29 April. Two of same, in all for £50, from Richard Cockes, of London,

14 July. merchant. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 200 *and* 201.

1654. Assignment by Cocks, or Cockes, as above.

20 Oct. Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Ikerkin [Ikerrin], to Wm. Heather, of St. Saviour's, Southwark. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 202.

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1 Oct. Same by Edmund Seare, late of London, poulterer, and now of Hampton, Midx.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Weedon, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *&c., as above. Endd. with—*

Assignment, dated 8 Oct., 1653, by Weedon, of the share hereby assigned to John Hurst, citizen and cook of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *as foregoing. In all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 203 *and* 203*a*.

1643. 29 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £20, from Seare, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 204.

1655. 19 June. Assignment by Jeremiah Wood, of Epping, in Essex, yeoman.

The Committee of Claims have allowed a share, £25, to him and his brother John, of St. Mary Matfellon, in Middlesex, wool-comber, in respect of the investment by their father, Robert Wood, late of Harlow, in Essex, deceased. He assigns his interest in this share, which has fallen in the barony of Dees, to his brother John. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 206.

21 June. Same by John Wood, as above.

Assigning his lot, as in foregoing, to Francis Bigg, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 207.

21 July. Same by Francis Bigg, of London, merchant.

Assigning the lot which he has by assignment from John Wood, as above, and which has fallen in the barony of Dees, to Lieut.-Col. Thos. Juxon. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 205.

1653. 19 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Robert Wood, as above, paid in £50 on 18 July, 1642. The receipt is lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 208.

Extract from the last will of Robert Wood, of Abbess Roothing [Abbess Roding], in Essex.

By this will, dated 24 Aug., 1648, and proved 11 Sept., 1649, at Dunmow, Wood devised his lands, free and copy, lying in Harlow, and abutting upon the back lane to his sons John and Jeremiah, after his wife's decease. To his sons he gave also all his adventure in Ireland. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Certified by* Tibbes. *Endd. Ibid.* 209.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £300, from James Tucker, alderman of the "city and county of Exeter." *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *on same page. Ibid.* 210.

1642. 4 Nov. Assignment by Tucker.

Assigning his lot as in foregoing to his son Thomas. Covenant for freedom from disturbance. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 211.

18 April. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Christopher Clarke, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 212.

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30 May. 28 July. 18 Oct. and undated. Four of same by same, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, received through the hands of Clarke, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 213 *and* 214.

1649. 21 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The above four receipts are for money that was advanced by Clarke himself and not by them, and he may enjoy the profits thereof. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 215.

1642. 16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £50, from Grace Tyffin, widow, of Kingston, for the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 216 *and* 217.

1642. 14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Tyffin, or Tiffyn, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 218.

1654. 20 May. Assignment by Tyffin, as above.
Assigning her share, which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, co. Antrim, to John Mosyer, of the Inner Temple, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed by assignor with her mark, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 219.

1642. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from Wm. Hussey, of "Shaston," in Dorset. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 220 *and* 221.

18 April. 8 and 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £100, from John Jones, of Exeter, gentleman. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 222–224.

1653. 17 Nov. Assignment by Jones, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, which has fallen in Antrim, to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martin's in the Fields. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 225.

1642. 28 March. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Ambrose Coombes, servant to his Majesty. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 226 *and* 227.

1653. 26 July. Assignment by Coombes, or Combes, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, to Thos. Ingle, of St. Giles' in the Fields, glover. *P.* 1. *Signed with* Coombes' *mark, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 228.

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27 July. Deposition by Thos. Storer, of Anstey, Leicestershire, yeoman.

One of the receipts given for Wm. Sheares' adventure—that for £75 paid 19 July, 1642—has been lost. It has not been made use of. Joyce, late wife of the said Wm. Sheares, is his administratrix, and Wm. Sheares, now living, his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 294, 229.

1642. 22 Oct. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 14 Jan. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Wm. Sheares, of Anstey, Leicestershire, yeoman. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 231 *and* 232.

1642. 7 May. Same by Archdale Palmer, Sheriff of Leicester, for £75 from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 230.

164$\frac{2}{3}$. 21 Feb. Receipt by the Treasurers "appointed by an ordinance of Parliament of 30 Jan., 164$\frac{2}{3}$, for a new loan and collection towards the relief of Ireland,"[1] for £100 from Richard Staper, or Stapers, of London, gent. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed by* Benjamin Goodwin and Wm. Pennoyer. *Ibid.* 234.

1643. 5 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £75 from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 233.

1653. 22 July. Deposition by John Watson, of London, gentleman.

Wm. Offield, of Gatton, in Surrey, is living, and the heir of Sir Samuel Offield, Oldfield, or Owfield, late of Gatton, deceased. The last will of Sir Samuel contained no devise of his Irish adventure. This was for £1,200 taken in his own name, but is belonging to George Mosse, John Roberts, John Short and Richard Staper. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Dated and certified by* John Kendrick. *Ibid.* 235.

1642. 15 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from Sir Samuel Owfield, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 236 *and* 237.

21 April. Indenture tripartite of agreement between Sir Samuel Owfield, Short, and Staper, as above.

Recites the fact that Mosse and others [*as above, No.* 235] have shares in Owfield's adventure of £1,200. Roberts and Mosse have £300 each, Staper £200, and Short £150. Owfield covenants that if Short and Staper pay in their respective sums of £150 and £200, for which they have already underwritten, he will make good the remainder of the whole adventure of £1,200. Short and Staper shall participate in the lands allotted to this adventure in proportion to their several investments. Each of the parties shall pay in his share as promised. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Owfield and Staper *before witnesses. Endorsed with two certificates*—

(1) Dated 11 Aug., 1643, by John Watson, that John Short has paid in £150 according to the purport and intent of this writing.

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(2) Dated 11 Aug., 1643, by Richard Staper, that the £150 mentioned within was satisfied to Owfield, and that he saw Short get a receipt therefor. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 238.

21 April. Indenture tripartite of agreement between Owfield, Staper and Short, as above.

Similar to foregoing. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed by* Owfield and Short. *Endd. Ibid.* 239.

19 July. Receipt by John Watson, servant to Sir Samuel Owfield, for £200, paid in by Richard Staper, of London, gent. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 240.

1643. 17 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £20 paid in by Staper. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 241.

1642. 15 April. 19 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from Owfield, as above. *P.* ½ *and p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 242 *and* 243.

Statement of Mr. Randall's case.

Owfield, as above, made the original adventure. On 19 July, 1642, he declared that £300 of it belonged to George Mosse, of London, Mosse is dead, and left behind him an eldest son and heir. By indenture of 13 Oct., 1649, the son assigned to Samuel Lewes, and by indenture dated 23 Jan., 16$\frac{49}{50}$, Samuel Lewes assigned to Mathew Randall, who now claims. *P.* 1, *with note by* Duling Salmon that he has seen the three indentures and finds them right. *Endd. Ibid.* 244.

19 July. Indenture tripartite of agreement between Owfield, John Roberts, citizen and haberdasher of London, and George Moss, citizen and merchant tailor of same. Similar to *No.* 238, as above, *q.v.*, and containing the declaration mentioned in foregoing, both as to the share of Moss and as to that of Roberts. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Roberts and Owfield. *Ibid.* 245.

1649. 13 Oct. Assignment by George Moss, of London, merchant, son of George Moss, deceased, late of same, merchant tailor.

Recites the foregoing, giving his father's title to a share of £300 in the Owfield adventure. Assigns same to Samuel Lewis. Covenants for freedom from encumbrances. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Moss *before witnesses. Ibid.* 246.

16$\frac{49}{50}$. 23 Jan. Same by Samuel Lewis, citizen and merchant tailor of London. Assigns his interest under foregoing to Matthew Randall, citizen and clothworker of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*), *parchment. Signed, &c., by* Lewis. *Endd. Ibid.* 247.

1642. 30 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Day, of London, mercer. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 249.

15 July. Receipt by the same for £100, from Henry Day, as above (£50), Thos. Briscoe (£25), and Richard Symonds (£25). *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 248.

1652. 2 Nov. Articles of agreement between Henry Day, of London, mercer, Thomas Briscoe, of London, upholder, and Richard Symonds, of London, barber-surgeon.

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Recites the investments for which the two foregoing were given. Each of the parties shall enjoy a share proportionate to his investment. Survivorship shall prevail as between them. In case of any calls on these shares by Parliament, they agree to meet such obligations in proportion as they first subscribed. *P.* 1. and *p.* 1, *two copies, each signed by* Day. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 250 *and* 251.

29 Nov. Two agreements tripartite between Day, Briscoe and Symonds, as above.

Recite the receipts [*see Nos.* 249 *and* 248]. Although the receipt of 30 April does not mention the fact, Briscoe and Symonds each took a share of £25 in that £100. Day now assigns his whole interest in both receipts to Briscoe and Symonds. Usual covenants. *Each p.* 1 (*large parchment*). *One signed by* Day and Symonds, *and the other by* Day and Briscoe. *Ibid.* 252 *and* 253.

1653. 28 July. Certificate by Samuel Pennoyer.

Thos. Ivatt, of Torrington, in Devon, subscribed £450 for the Irish adventure in 1642. The receipts are torn and spoiled, but have not been converted nor doubled at Gurney House. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Pennoyer, *and certified and dated by* Andrews. *Ibid.* 254.

1650. 3 Dec. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

Thomas Ivatt, of Comb-Martin, in Devon, subscribed £112 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 14 Dec., 1642. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 255.

7 Dec. Assignment by Ivatt, late of Comb-Martin and now of Torrington, in Devon.

Assigning his share of £450 in the Irish adventure for £115 to Samuel Pennoyer, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 256.

1642. 30 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £60, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Aynell, of Sandford. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 257.

1652. 15 June. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums advanced by Aynell [*see foregoing*] of right belong to him, and he may enjoy and dispose of them. *P.* ½, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 258.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 11 Nov. 1643. 10 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of Thos. Poyntington, of Pennicot, in Shebrooke, Shobroke, Shobrooke, or Shewbrooke, Devon. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 260–63.

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22 June. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
Similar to last but one in respect of the foregoing receipts. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*parchment*), *with seal of the City.* *S.P. Ireland* 294, 259.

1642. 30 May. 4 Aug. 28 Nov. 1643. 7 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £15, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of Francis Fryer, of St. Thomas, Devon. *On same page.* *Endd.*: "Seized on and taken by force [from Fryer] by Allen, Penny and Hackwell, 21 May, 1645; restored to him 28 June, 1646, when Exeter was restored into the hands of the Parliament." *Ibid.* 265.

1649. 14 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor of Exeter.
Similar to last but one, in respect to the foregoing receipts. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the City.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 264.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 11 Nov. 1643. 10 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter by the hands of John Rowe, of Crediton, clothier. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and endd.* *Ibid.* 266–269.

1652. 15 June. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
Similar to last but one, in respect to the foregoing receipts. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$ (*parchment*), *with seal of the City.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 270.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 15 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 7 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Peter Sweete, of St. Thomas', Devon. *On two pages, one endd.* *Ibid.* 272 *and* 273.

1652. 15 June. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
Similar to last but one in respect of the foregoing receipts. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*parchment*), *with seal of the City.* *Ibid.* 271.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.
Nathaniel Hallowes paid in £350, a quarter of his investment of £1,400, on 1 April, 1642. This receipt is mislaid, and has not been doubled. Walter Lee, one of Hallowes' company, had a share of £37 10*s.* in the £350. *P.* 1. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 274.

Same. Same.
Similar to foregoing. Hugh Ratcliffe had a share of £75 in the aforesaid receipt for £350. *P.* 1, *as foregoing.* *Ibid.* 275.

Same. Same.
Similar to foregoing. Francis Newman had a share of £37 10*s.* in the aforesaid receipt. *P.* 1, *as foregoing.* *Ibid.* 276.

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16 July. Certificate by Wm. Rowell, Wm. Feston[?], John Bellamie and Thos. Chewning.

Francis Newman, late of London, haberdasher, is dead, and made no devise of his lands in Ireland. Susannah Tresham, widow, now living, is his only daughter and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. with note of* Hallowes' partners and of the share taken by each. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 277.

1652. 9 April. Assignment by Kathrine Newman, of London, widow, and executrix of Francis Newman, late of London, haberdasher, deceased, and Susan Tressam, or Tresham, widow.

Assigning a share of £37 10*s.* in a bill dated 1 April, 1642, to Hugh Radcliffe, citizen and haberdasher of London. This bill is now in the hands of Nathaniel Hallowes, Esq., M.P. They also assign to him a bill of 30 April, and two bearing date 7 July, 1642, which with the first bill of £37 10*s.* are in all of the value of £200. This sum was advanced by Francis Newman, aforesaid, in Hallowes' Company. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses,* Kathrine Newman *signing with her mark. Ibid.* 278.

1642. 30 April. 7 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £162 10*s.*, from Francis Newman, of London, haberdasher. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 279, 282 *and* 283.

7 July. One of same for £225, from Hugh Radclyffe, or Radcliffe, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 280.

19 July. Same for £112 10*s.*, from Walter Lee, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 281.

1650. 26 Aug. Indenture of agreement between Walter Lee and Hugh Radcliffe, as above.

Lee for certain considerations assigns his share of £150 to Radcliffe. Usual covenants. In consideration Radcliffe promises to discharge and make void a bond dated 2 March, 164⅞, wherein Lee is bound in £200 with John Stourton for the payment of £103 10*s.* on the 5th of September following to Thos. Hunton, leatherseller, and to Radcliffe. Radcliffe also promises that he will pay the balance of the £150 (after the said obligation has been paid off) to Thomas Cobb, of Bride's parish, Middlesex, feltmaker. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Walter Lee *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 284.

1653. 11 July. Certificate by Wm. Tibbes to Alderman Andrewes.

He finds that Wm. Loupe, of Westminster, surgeon, subscribed £200 to the Irish adventure on 30 April, 1642, and paid the sum in April or July. *P.* ½. *Followed by—*

Same. Deposition by Wm. Loupe, late of Westminster and now of Bristol, surgeon, aged about 48.

He has not the receipts for the Irish adventure here [in London] with him, and believes they are at his house in Bristol. He has not assigned nor doubled them. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Certified and dated by* Thos. Benet. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 285.

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16 July. Bristol. Wm. Loupe to his brother Becks [?].
I cannot find my receipts and if Alderman Andrewes will not let you have a certificate on the affidavit I left with you, it will be very hard measure; his own books acknowledge the receipt and money was paid for entering the subscriptions. I desire you at the next meeting of the Commissioners to go there and demand my proportion according to the Act and order of Council. *P.* 1 (*Hol.*). *S.P. Ireland* 294, 286.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £75, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Christopher Clarke, *sen.*, of Exeter, merchant, in all for £75. *Each p.* ½, *one endd.* In the latest receipt Clarke is called Mayor of Exeter. *Ibid.* 287–9.

25 March. 19 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Simeon Ash, of London, minister. *Each p.* ¾, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 290 *and* 291.

19 July. One of same by same for £50, from John Cobb, "of London," merchant tailor. *P.* ⅔. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 293.

1643. 5 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same, "of St. Augustine's, Farringdon within, London," merchant tailor. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 292.

1654. 17 May. Assignment by Robert Thomson, of London, Esq.
Assigning his share, which he holds by assignment from Wm. Wade, merchant, and which has fallen in the barony of Dunluce, to John Brockhoven, of London, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 294.

165¾. 21 Jan. Same by Wade.
Assigning his £600 share to Thomson, or Thompson, as above. *P.* ¾, *&c., as above.* *Ibid.* 295.

1642. 19 April. 11 and 16 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Wade, as above. *P.* ⅓ *each, one endd.* *Ibid.* 296–8.

28 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Mark Downe, minister, of same. *On same page.* *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 299.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Downe, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 300.

1652. 6 April. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The sums advanced in their name by Mark Downe and paid to the Sheriff of Exeter do not belong to them, but are the property of Downe. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the City.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 301.

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29 July. Certificate by John Hamond, Notary Public.

Certifies an extract from the Registry of probate of wills and granting of administrations, showing that administration of the goods, &c., of John Pitts, late of Lyme Regis, was given to his relict, Hanna, on 24 June, 1645. *P.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 302.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £100, from John Pitts, of Lyme Regis. *Ibid.* 303.

1653. 29 July. Deposition by Richard Pittfield of "the Armitage."

John Pitts, as above, is dead, and John Pitts, of Culleton, in Devon, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅓. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Dated and certified by* Na. Hobart. *Endd. Ibid.* 304.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Thos. Cooke, of London, goldsmith. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 305 *and* 306.

1653. 3 (or 30) July. Certificate by Anthony Barry.

He married the widow and administratrix of Thos. Cooke, of London, goldsmith, which said Thomas Cooke lent £300 for the Irish adventure. Thos. Cooke was slain in the Parliament service and died without a will, but his son and heir, Thomas, is living and Barry's wife is his mother and guardian. Barry authorises Tobias Frere to draw for the said son. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*). *Certified by* Frere. *Ibid.* 307.

29 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On 29 March, 1642, Arthur Juxton, of London, salter, and others, adventured £1,500 for lands in Ireland. Amongst these Barnabas Meare, of London, draper, invested £100; and he had therefore an interest of £25 in the £375 actually paid in by Juxton on that day. *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 308.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Barnabas Meare, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 309.

1653. 29 July. Certificate by Andrewes.

In the sum of money paid in on 7 May, 1642, by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, being an adventure by certain persons for lands in Ireland, Dr. Edmond Stanton had an interest of £25. *P.* ½. *Signed.* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 310.

1642. 4 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Edmond Stanton, D.D. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 311.

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31 March. 28 June. 16 July. Three of same, in all for £200, from John Coulison, or Coulson, of Ayton Magney [Great Ayton] in Cleveland in Yorks. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 294, 312, 313 *and* 315.

1643. 7 May. Receipt by Sir Thos. Guybon, Sheriff of Norfolk, for £250 advanced by Tobias Frere, of Harlston, gentleman, for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.).* *Ibid.* 314.

1642. 19 July. Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £750, from same, by the hands of Thos. Free. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 316.

1655. 9 April. Assignment by John Gurdon, of Assington, in Suffolk.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Slievemargy, in Queen's Co. to John Clarke, of Bury St. Edmund's, in Suffolk, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 317.

5 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from John Gurdon, M.P. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd.* *Ibid.* 318 *and* 319.

7 and 30 April. 19 July. Two of same, in all for £1,000, from Abraham and Thos. Chamberlain, one of same for £450 from Thos. alone, and one for £150 from Abraham alone. *Each p.* ⅔, *three endd.* *Ibid.* 320–323.

1654. 19 April. Oath by Thos. Price, of the parish of St. Olave's, Jewry, London, clothworker, *æt.* 40, or thereabouts.

Daniel Parkinson, citizen and leatherseller of London, and Mary, daughter of John Child, or Childe, late of Southwark, in Surrey, feltmaker, were lawfully married on 30 March, 1646, by Samuel Toxey, their minister, of Leighton, or Layton [Leyton], in Essex. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Thos. Price. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 324.

1642. 30 June. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from John Child, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 325.

Extract from the last will of Child, as above, "citizen and woodmonger of London."

The will, dated 7 Sept. and proved 13 Sept., 1642, bequeathed all his goods to his three children, John, Mathias and Mary, "equally betwixt them, share and share alike," with right of survivorship, and appointed the three children joint executors of his will. *P.* 1. *Certified by* Duling Salmon. *Ibid.* 326.

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28 July. Deposition by John Bell, of Southwark, haberdasher.

John Child, as above, advanced £100 for the Irish adventure, no part of which has been doubled or converted to profitable use. John Child, son and heir of the above, "took a voyage unto the Indies and there died." Deponent had letters thence intimating as much. The younger Child died under age and without issue. *P.* ½, *with* Bell's *mark and certified and dated by* John Page. *S.P. Ireland* 294, 327.

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5 Aug. Deposition by Peter Mills, of London, bricklayer, *æt.* about 50.

He has made no assignment of the sum he advanced for Ireland—except the assignment to Thos. Alcock dated 19 Aug., 1643—to his own advantage or the prejudice of the State. *P.* ½. *Dated and certified by* Page. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 1.

Extract from the will of John Ballard, "of Christchurch within Newgate, London, linen draper, citizen and skinner of London."

The will, dated 27 June, 1644, devised his share in the Irish adventure as to one half to his wife for her life. After her and testator's death, their children were to have the whole. *P.* ¾. *Certified by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 2.

30 July. Certificate by Gervase Blackwell and John Lambert.

Ballard, or Ballerd, as above, had two children at the time of his decease, Anne and Sarah. Anne is still living. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 3.

1642. 18 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Ballard, or Ballerd, "of London, skinner." *Each p.* ½, *one endd. with a note* that Mr. Alcock added £50 more and that [this] £200 [was allowed] to Mrs. Ballard, late wife of John Ballard and now wife of John Lambert, for one moiety during her life and afterwards to the surviving daughter, Anne Ballard. *Ibid.* 4 *and* 5.

1653. Assignment by Ralph Carter, of London, skinner.

13 July. Assigning his share to Roger Lambert, citizen and embroiderer of London. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 6.

1642.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Lambert, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 8.

Same. Same for same, from Ralph Carter, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 7.

1653. 28 Sept. Certificate by John Pargiter, goldsmith, and John Lambert, skinner, citizens of London.

Sarah Lambert, widow of John Ballard and afterwards wife of John Lambert, is dead. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 9.

1642. 14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Miles Briggs, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 10.

1643. 14 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 11.

1653. 23 July. Certificate by Ellinor, wife of the deceased Thomas Alcock.

Charles Alcock is the eldest son of Thos. Alcock, late citizen and haberdasher of London, deceased. Thomas did not grant his money adventured for Ireland by will. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 12.

1642. 29 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for Thos. Alcock, of London, haberdasher, John Ballard, Roger Lambart, Ralph Carter, Miles Briges and Thos. Randall for £200, being a fourth part of their subscription for Ireland. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 14.

30 April. 9 and 19 July. Three of same for £325, from Alcock alone—of which £100 is for the "additional forces by sea for Ireland." *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 13, 15 *and* 16.

164⅔. 24 Feb. Sir Robert Meredith to Mr. Alcock.

I send you a bill of exchange for £50.

I pray you continue your care towards my children. I cannot tell you much of our condition here, but tell my sister Molyneux that we are all well. We earnestly expect the arrival of her son William. He may be in hazard to lose his appointment if he delay to repair here. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.) and endorsed with:—*

1643. 19 April. Assignment by Peter Mills.

For £50 received of Mr. Thomas Alcock, he has assigned him his £100 interest in Irish land. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¼. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, p.* 1. *Endd. generally. Ibid.* 17 *and* 17*a.*

1649. 30 July. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrews.

In April and July, 1642, Peter Mills, of London, bricklayer, subscribed £100 in three instalments as as investment in the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 18.

1654.

14 Sept. Assignment by Robert Wood, of Kingston on Thames, Esq.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to James Edwards, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 295, 19.

164$\frac{2}{3}$. 24 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Wood, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 20.

1653. 30 July. Deposition by Wood.

He has not doubled the £200 which he paid in for the Irish adventure. His first three receipts—for £150—are lost. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.) and certified and dated by* John Page and Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 21.

1642. 8 April. 22 June. 15 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Nicholas Vaghan, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Followed by*:—

1653. 23 July. Certificate of Robert Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

The sums as mentioned above were paid in by Vaghan to Walter White, late Sheriff of Exeter. Thomas Chudleigh is now married to Agnes, late widow and relict of Vaghan; who got administration of Vaghan's property after his death. *In all p.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *the last certificate signed (Hol.). Endd. with*—

30 July. Certificate of Joseph Vaghan.

Nicholas Vaghan, deceased, had no children by Agnes his wife. His property in Ireland comes to Chudleigh by his marriage with her. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *(Hol.). The document is also endd. generally. The whole pp.* 1$\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 22 *and* 22*a*.

16 Nov. Assignment by Thos. Chudleigh, of Little Bradnitch, within the walls of Exeter, and Agnes his wife.

Assigning their share [originally the share of Nicholas Vaghan] which has fallen in co. Antrim, for consideration to Sir John Clotworthy. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 23.

1642. 29 March. 1 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from George Thomason of London, stationer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 24 *and* 25.

19 and 28 March. 13 April. 23 June. 27 Sept. Five of same, in all for £100, from Wm. Risbey, or Risbie of London, draper. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 26–30.

1652. 26 March. Assignment by Risbey, as above.

Assigning his share to Alexander Holt, jun., of London, goldsmith. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 31.

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27 Aug. Indenture of agreement between Holt and John Mosyer, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq.

Holt assigns the shares of £600, which he has by assignment from Risby and from Richard Shute, of London, merchant, through James Oiles of the same, merchant, for £300, to Mosyer. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Holt. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 32.

1642. 29 and 31 March. 30 April. 19 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £500, from Richard Shute, as above. *P.* ½ *or p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 33–37.

165½. 24 March. Assignment by Richard Shute, as above, to James Oiles, of London, merchant, of a share of £500. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 38.

1642[? 52] 19 April. Assignment, as above, by Oiles, or Oeils, to Alex. Holt, jun., of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 39.

1653. 6 Aug. Certificate by Nathaniel Manton.

Daniel Farrington, of London, merchant, is the eldest son of William Farrington, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 40.

1643. 28 July. 1 Sep. 11 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Wm. Farrington, of Portsoken Ward, London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 41–43.

1642. 23 Aug. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £200 paid in by Periam Pole, or Poole, of Tolliton, gent., paid in on 6 and 9 May and 17 July, 1642. The monies were paid in before 20 July, in order that the payer might benefit by the Act "for the further advancement, &c."[1] *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 44.

1653. 28 July. Certificate by Nathaniel Poole, of Tolliton, eldest son and heir of the late Periam Poole, deceased.

The last will of the late Periam Poole bequeathed Periam's Irish adventure to his two younger sons, "Perryom" and Theodore. There is no other gift of the said investment. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), &c., by* "Nathaniel Pole" *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 45.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

He has seen the last will of Robert Surteis, barber-surgeon, of London, dated 20 March, 164⁰⁄₁, and proved 16 Oct., 1645. It contained no bequest of his Irish adventure, but the testator made

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his wife, Grace, and his daughter, Sarah Sureties [Surtees?], joint executors of his will. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 46.

19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from "Suertys," as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 47.

10 Nov. Assignment by Hannah Anthony, of Exeter, widow.

Assigning to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq., the £110 in the Irish adventure which she advanced in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, and which has fallen in co. Down. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 48.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 1643. 12 Feb. Four receipts, in all for £110, by the Sheriff of Exeter, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Anthony, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 49–52.

1649. 11 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money not belonging to them, but the property of Anthony, as above. *P.* 1, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 53.

Certificate by Tibbs.

William Crickner, of Mendham, in Norfolk, by his last will, dated 11 Aug., 1649, and proved 29 Sept., 1651, bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure in equal parts to his daughters Anne Bateman, Dorothy Moore, and Temperance, Sicely and Grace. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 54.

1642. 11 and 18 March. 22 April. 16 and 19 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from William "Crickmore" [Crickner], of Bury, or Berry, in Suffolk, clothier. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. with note* that the sum was allowed to Crickner's five daughters as in foregoing, except that Temperance is now the wife of Stephen Blomfield and Grace the wife of Samuel Haberghem. *Ibid.* 55-59.

19 April. 19 July. Three of same, in all for £150, from Wm. Fewster, of Richmond, in Surrey. *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd. Ibid.* 60–62.

1653. 28 July. Certificate by John Brett, Joshua Woolnough, Edward Backwell, and Wm. Meade.

Fewster, as above, died in June, 1646, and left one son and one daughter, Wm. and Elizabeth, and left all his adventure in Ireland to the said William. William died in Nov., 1651, and his daughter is the only living child of Fewster the elder. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.) Endd. Ibid.* 63.

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30 July. Same by Thos. Hodges.

Samuel Elliott, *æt.* about 16, is the son and heir of Samuel Elliott, of London, merchant, deceased, who died intestate. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 295, 64.

1642. 28 March. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £800, from Samuel Eliott and Thomas Hodges, of London, merchants. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 65 *and* 66.

19 and 30 April. 9 and 18 July. Five of same, in all for £300, from Robert Ellis, of London, mercer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 67–71.

1654. 6 April. Assignment by Robert Ellis, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, to Thomas Vincent, of Peckham, in Surrey. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 72.

1642. 20 Sep. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50 from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of John Bond, clerk. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 74.

1649. 25 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipt represents money which is really the property of Bond, as above: and he may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the City. Ibid.* 73.

1642. 26 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £15 from Wm. Almond, of London, pewterer. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 76.

19 July. Same for £56 5*s.* from Wm. Almond, pewterer, George Ray, stationer, and Gifford Galton, stationer. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 75.

1653. 1 Aug. Deposition by Wm. Almond, of London, pewterer, *æt.* 45, or thereabouts.

Deponent, with George Ray and Gifford Galton, stationers, paid £75 for the Irish adventure, whereof £25 belongs to the deponent. No part of this sum has been assigned or converted for profit. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.). Dated and certified by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 77.

1654. 9 June. Agreement between the Hon. Nathaniel Fiennes, M.P., and Henry Pytt.

They agree to take out one certificate for their joint share of £600 in the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 78.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Fiennes and Pytt, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *or p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. on the back of another. Ibid.* 79–81.

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11 June. Nathaniel Fiennes, M.P., to Pitt.

In my absence I pray you take care for my part of the £600 which we have advanced together, as well as of your own in the setting out of lands to us. In this matter I shall "refer" myself to you. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*). *Add. and endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 82.

2 Aug. Oath by John Seed, of London, haberdasher.

He advanced £200 for lands in Ireland in 1642. The receipt for £50 of this is missing, but has not been doubled or converted. He agrees to indemnify the State against any charge made against it in respect of this receipt. *P.* ⅔. *Certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 83.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Seed, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 84.

Notes showing the portions of a joint share of £700 allowed to Francis Allen, John Barksteed, John Coltman, Nicholas Bond, Christopher Towes, and Nathaniel Witham, or Whetham. *Each p.* ¼, *one endd. Ibid.* 85 *and* 86.

1654. 28 July. Assignment by Barkstead, Whetham, Bond, Coltman, of London, haberdasher, and Towes, of London, baker.

Assigning their lots of £100 each, which have fallen in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, to Francis Allein, of Lambeth, in Surrey. *P.* ⅔. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *&c., by the assignors before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 87.

1642. 12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £700, from Francis Allin "and his friends." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 89.

19 July. Same for £37 10*s.*, from Henry Ashurst, merchant-tailor, of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 88.

1653. 21 July. Deposition by Ashurst, as above, that about 1642, he paid in £50 for the Irish adventure. A receipt for £12 10*s.*; part of this is lost, but he has not doubled it or converted it for profit. *P.* ⅓. *Certified and dated by* Na. Hobart. *Endd. Ibid.* 90.

1642. 6 May. 19 July. 10 Oct. 164⅔. 13 Jan. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £30, from Thos. Pearce the younger, of Sidbury, Devon. *On same page. Endd. Ibid.* 91.

1642. 12 July. 28 Nov. 164⅔. 28 Jan. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Gamaliel Voyse, Voice, or Voyce, of St. Olave's, Southwark, brewer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 92–94.

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19 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Voyce paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 21 March, 1642, together with divers others of the borough of Southwark. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 95.

1654. 15 July. Assignment by Benjamin Hawkins, of Exeter, merchant.

Assigning a share in the Irish adventure which he holds by assignment from John Smith, of Bishop's Clist, in Devon, and which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1642. 30 May. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £30, paid by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of John Smith, as above. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 97.

1649. 10 July. Assignment by Smith.

Assigning the above share and £10 more, which he paid in in plate, to his son-in-law, Benjamin Hawkins, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 98.

21 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipt, dated 30 May [*see last document but one*], is for money, the property of Smith, and he may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 99.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Hugh Farthing, of Exeter, clothier, and of Alice, his wife, late the wife and executrix of the last will of Wm. Hopping, of Exeter, lockyer, deceased.

Assigning the lot of £50, which has been allowed to Alice as the assignee of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, and which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), &c.* [*Alice signing with her mark*] *before witnesses. Ibid.* 100.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Hoping, or Hopping, as above. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 101.

1649. 20 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have seen the receipts of 30 May and 12 July, which are for money really the property of Hopping, as above. He may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 102.

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18 April. 30 May. 30 June. — July. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 164⅔. 12 Feb.

Seven receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Edmund Snytall, or Snitall, of Exeter, silkweaver. *Three receipts together and four separate receipts, each p.* ½, *one endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 103–107.

165⅔. 15 Feb.

Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have seen certain receipts dated 30 May, 17 Aug., and 15 Nov., 1642, and 12 Feb., 164⅔. They are for money properly belonging to Edmund Snytall, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the Corporation. Endd. Ibid.* 109.

1653. 10 Nov.

Assignment by Snytall.

Assigning his share of £100 (*see foregoing*) to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 108.

1649. 18 June.

Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

John Temple, of Frankton, in Warwickshire, subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure. This subscription was received from Sir Isaac Astley, High Sheriff of Warwickshire, on 16 May, 1642, and the money paid in May, July and August, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. with—*

28 July.

Assignment by John Temple, of Gray's Inn.

Assigning the within-mentioned sum to Wm. Sankey, citizen and goldsmith of London. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 110.

1650. 30 June.

Further assignment by Temple.

Assigning to Sankey, as above, a share of £200 in the Irish adventure, which he holds by assignment dated 4 July, 1649, from Lieut.-General Thos. Hamond. This share was originally taken as part of the share of £1,000 taken in the name of Col. John Hampden. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 111.

1653. 23 Nov.

Assignment by Martin Oglethorpe, of London, dyer.

He holds a share in the Irish adventure as assignee of Wm. Sankey, as above, who was assignee of John Temple, of Gray's Inn. John Temple held it under the will of John Temple, Esq. This share has been allowed him, and has fallen in the co. Tipperary. He assigns it to John Temple, of Gray's Inn. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 112.

165½. 12 Feb.

Same by William Sankey, as above.

Assigning a share of £100, which he has received from Temple, who is the assignee of Hamond, to Martin Oglethorpe, as above. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 113.

Same.

Same by same.

Assigning a bill or share of £200, which he holds as assignee of John Temple, to Oglethorpe, as before. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 114.

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Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

John Temple, of Franckton, in Warwickshire, by his last will, dated 20 July, and proved 24 Nov., 1642, bequeathed his share of £150 [in Ireland] to his son John and his heirs. The further £150 due [to make his investment up to £300] was to be duly paid. *P.* ⅔. *Signed (Hol.) by* Tibbs. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 115.

1653. 10 Dec. Assignment by Charles Woodward, of Colchester, clothier.

He is eldest son and heir of Charles Woodward, of Nayland, in Suffolk, webster, deceased. He assigns a share in Irish land which has been allowed him as his father's heir, and which has fallen in Eastmeath, to John Nary, of New Malton, Yorks. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 116.

Certificate by Tibbes.

Charles Woodward, of Boxted, in Essex, "saymaker," by his will, dated 1 March, 164⁴⁄₅, and proved 6 May, 1652, made no bequest of his Irish adventure. He appointed James Woodward, his brother, and Charles Woodward, his son, to be his sole executors. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 117.

1642. 25 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from Charles Woodward, of Nayland, in Suffolk. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 118 *and* 119.

1653. 19 July. Deposition by John Woodward, of the Middle Temple.

The late Charles Woodward, as above, did not bargain or sell his share in the Irish adventure. Charles Woodward, of Colchester, in Essex, is the eldest son and heir of the late Charles. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Edward Eltonhed, one of the Masters of the Chancery. *Endd. Ibid.* 120.

20 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Jeremy Rushley, of London, salter, subscribed £25 for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642, and paid in the money in that year. The receipts are missing and have not been used or converted for profit. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 121.

Same. Same by same.

Similar to foregoing for Thomas Bye, of London, citizen and tallow-chandler. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 121*a*.

19 July. Assignment by Thomas Bye, as above.

Assigning his share to Jeremy or Jeremiah Rushley, as above. *Pp.* 1½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 122.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Anne Tutty, of London, widow, of her last will, dated 27 June, 1646, and proved 2 May, 1648, made no special bequest of the share which she held in the Irish adventure; but gave her goods and estate, otherwise unbequeathed, to her children, Nathaniel

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Micklethwaite, Wm., John, Joseph, Benjamin and Samuel Tutty, Anne Knight, Elizabeth Tew, Dorcas and Hester Tutty. Nathaniel Micklethwaite was made executor. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 295, 123.

1648. 2 Aug. Assignment by Wm. Tutty, of Totteridge, in Herts., clerk.

For £5 and other considerations he assigns his half share in the adventure of £50, in which he joined with his brother, Nathaniel Micklethwaite, to Micklethwaite. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. with some irrevelant matter, being apparently accounts of the expenses of commencement at a college. Ibid.* 124.

1642. 28 March. 5 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Anne Tutty, of London, widow. *P.* ½. *each. Ibid.* 125 *and* 126.

31 March. 5 Oct. Two of same for same, from Nathaniel Micklethwaite, of London, fishmonger. *Each p,* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 127 *and* 128.

1654. 21 June. Assignment by John Woodward, of the Middle Temple.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure which has fallen in the barony of Mohergallen [Morgallion], to Ambrose Moore, of Covent Garden. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 129.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Richard Gipps, the elder, of Hoxton, in St. Leonard's, Shoreditch, by his will dated 20 Feb., 164⅔, and proved 10 Aug., 1643, made no bequest of his adventure in Irish land. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 130.

1642. 18 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200 from Gipps, of Hogsden [Hoxton], as above. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 131.

1653. 19 July. Deposition by John Woodward, as above.

Gipps subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure. He did not bequeath same by his will, and Richard Gipps, of Little Horningsheath, in Suffolk, is his son and heir. *P.* ½. *Dated and certified by* Edward Eltonhed. *Endd. Ibid.* 132.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300 from Thos. Lerridge, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 133.

165½. 18 Feb. Henry Box to ————.

I have caused our Irish interest to be entered. Your paper enclosed. *P.* ⅛. *Endd. Ibid.* 134.

1649. 7 July. Acknowledgment by Wm. Ashwell.

He holds the receipt given by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, paid in by himself, Henry Box and Thos. Kerridge. *P.* ½. *Signed and witnessed by* Henry Mosse, notary public. *Endd. Ibid.* 135.

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3 Aug. Certificate by Edmund Wheeler and Thos. Palmer.

John Painter, of Bristol, merchant, has taken to wife Lydia Jurdaine, daughter of George Jurdaine, late grocer, in Exeter. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). S.P. Ireland* 295, 136.

1642. 19 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from Richard Sweete, of Exeter, merchant, for Lydia Jardaine or Jurdaine, of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 137.

8 April. 27 June. 22 Sep. 14 Dec. Four of same, in all for £80, from Toby Alleine, of Exeter, merchant of the Staple. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 138.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Toby Alleine, or Allen.

Assigning his lot, which is allowed by the Committee and has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 139.

1642. 8 April. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from John Goswell, of Exeter, barber. *On same page. P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 140.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Goswell.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in co. Down, to Hawkins, as above. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

1652. 5 May. Same by Seth Wood, of Lenton, *alias* Levington, Lincolnshire, clerk.

As administrator of the goods of Walter Price, late of Abbotts Langley, in Herts., he assigns to Wm. Sheppey, citizen and weaver of London, a share of £54 3*s.* 4*d.*, lately belonging to Price, in return for £27 1*s.* 8*d.* paid him by Sheppey. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.), &c. Endd. with* receipt for the £27 1*s.* 8*d. Ibid.* 142.

1653. 3 Aug. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Thomas Juxon, of London, merchant-tailor, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642, and had no receipt therefor. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed (Hol.). Ibid.* 143.

1642. 16 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Thos. Juxon, or Juckson, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 144 *and* 145.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Arthur Juxon, or Juxton, citizen and salter of London, by his last will, dated 25 March, 1652, bequeathed that which was due to him

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"when the casting up of the House account should be" to his sons John and Arthur. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *S.P. Ireland* 295, 146.

Same by same.
He has perused the last will of John "Juxton," of Mortlake, in Surrey. It contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 147.

1653. 3 Aug. Same by Andrewes.
Arthur "Juxon," of London, salter, paid £50 in for Ireland on 29 March, 1642, and had no receipt therefor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 148.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150 from Arthur Juxon, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 149.

1653. 10 Aug. Certificate by Thomas "Juxon."
John Juxon, of London, merchant, is the eldest son and heir of John Juxon, of Mortlake, gentleman. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 150.

3 Aug. Same by Andrewes.
John Juxon, gent., subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure on 29 March, 1642. The receipts for half the sum are lost and have not been disposed of to the prejudice of the State. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 152.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Juxon, of "Moreclacke," in Surrey, gent. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 151.

Same. Same by same for £50, from Walter Price, of Abbotts Langley, in Herts. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 153*a*.

1643. 21 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £4 3*s.* 4*d.*, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *endd. with a memorandum of same date* that Walter Price and John King, of Abbots Langley, in Herts., clerk, adventured together £200. *Ibid.* 153.

1653. 5 Aug. Deposition by Francis Church, late of Alphage parish, near Cripplegate, and now in Mugwell Street, London, citizen and stationer.
He knew Walter Price, as above, who was sick at deponent's house about two years ago, and there made his last will. He made no bequest of his Irish adventure, but, being of sound mind, gave the titles therefor to deponent with instructions to hand them to Price's daughter, Elizabeth Wood, wife of Seth Wood, of Lenton, in Lincolnshire, clerk. He made Seth Wood his sole executor. *P.* 1. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 154.

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19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300, from Richard Cranley, of London. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 155.

1654. Assignment by Richard Cranley, of London, Esq.

2 May. Assigning his share of £300, which has fallen in the barony of Navan, to Alderman Daniel Hutchinson, of Dublin. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* "Richard Crandley." *Ibid.* 156.

9 Sep. Same by Christopher Knight the elder, of Lyme Regis, in Dorset.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, as above. Endd. Ibid.* 157.

1642. 9 May. 18 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from Christopher Knight, tailor, of Axamister, in Devonshire. *P.* ⅔, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 158.

1643. 28 July. 1 Sep. 11 Oct. Three of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Thomas Stubbins, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½, *two endd. Ibid.* 159, 160 *and* 162.

1655. 30 Oct. Deposition by Thomas Bancks, gentleman.

Sir Mathew Boynton, of Barniston, in Yorks, Kt. and Bt., deceased, by his last will bequeathed his adventure in Ireland to his son Benjamin, but if Benjamin should die before being 21 years old, then to the eldest son of his, failing him to his wife for her life, with remainder among his six sons [? brothers], Mathew, Cornelius, John, Charles, Marmaduke and Gustavus. Benjamin Boynton died under age, and Sir Mathew had no other sons by his lady. Three of his brothers, Mathew, Cornelius and John, are deceased, but deponent has lately heard from Charles, Marmaduke and Gustavus, and believes them to be still living. He heard a week ago by letters that the said lady was in good health, and believes she is still living. *P.* ¾. *Certified and dated by* Edward [?] Rich. *Endd. Ibid.* 161.

1642. 4 April. 4 Oct. 1642–3. 4 Jan. Four receipts by the treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000 from Sir Mathew Boynton, of Barniston, in Yorks. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. with notes as to how credit for these sums was allotted. Ibid.* 163–166.

1653. 21 July. Deposition by Lady Kathren Ingram, wife of Sir Arthur Ingram, Kt.

Benjamin, son of Sir Mathew Boynton, Kt. and Bt., deceased, is dead. *P.* ¼, *with note by* Geo. Gill that there is no other child living. *Endd. Ibid.* 167.

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Extract from the last will of Sir Mathew Boynton.

Bequeaths to his son, Benjamin, his adventure in Irish land. Other provisions, as stated in *S.P. Ireland* 295, 161, *q.v. With other details.* Will was proved 7 April, 1647. *P.* 6. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 168.

8 Aug. Deposition by Charles Pym.

He knows Alexander Pym, who is reputed the eldest son of John Pym, deceased, and Alex. Pym enjoyed the estate of John Pym as his heir-at-law. Pym did not in his lifetime dispose of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) and certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 169.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £600, from John Pym, Esq., M.P. *Each p.* ½ *and endd. Ibid.* 170 *and* 171.

9 May. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £60, from Robert Fowler, of Axminster, in Devonshire. *On same page. P.* ⅔, *with note that the sums are given by will to his sister* Mary Fowler. *Endd. Ibid.* 172.

1653. 23 July. Lyme. Certificate by Richard Alford, Mayor [of Lyme], Ignatius Turner, Gabriel West and Robert Burridge.

Mary Fowler, of Lyme, in Dorset, spinster, late sister to Robert Fowler, as above, was and is executrix of her brother's last will. Fowler advanced £60 for Ireland, and gave the advantage thereof—if any were—to his sister. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 173.

1654. 1 July. Assignment by Henry Parsons, of Cullyton, in Devonshire, mercer.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 174.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £80, from Parsons, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 175 *and* 176.

19 July. One of same from same for £25, from Robt. Wallis, minister, of Sutton in Ashfield, in Notts. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 177.

1652. 16 June. Assignment by Thos. Gallilee, citizen and clothworker of London.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Thomas Juxon, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 178.

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16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £60, from Gallilee, as above. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 181.

1643. 25 July. 11 Oct. Three of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £35, from same. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 179, 180 *and* 182.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Christopher Nicholas, of London, dyer. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$ *and endd. Ibid.* 183–4.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. 2 March. Indenture of agreement between Wm. Combey, of Duke's-place, London, and Margaret his wife, executrix of the last will of Christopher Nicholson, late of Friday Street, London, deceased, of the one part, and Mathew Bigg, of Gray's Inn, as executor of the last will of Anne Bigg, late of St. Giles in the Fields.

Wm. and Margaret, in consideration of the release of a certain bond and for other considerations, assign to Bigg their share in the Irish adventure. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses by* Wm. and Margaret Combey. *Endd. Ibid.* 185.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Bigg, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 186.

1653. 3 Aug. Certificate by Andrewes.

Bigg, or Biggs, paid £50 for the Irish adventure on 29 March, 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 187.

30 July. Certificate by John Drake, of Trull, one of the Justices of the Peace for Devonshire.

John Clarke and John Ilvis, executors in trust for the children of Peter Ticken, of Coliton, in the county of Devon, have made oath before me that the receipts given to the said Ticken for his investment in the Irish adventure by Mr. Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter, have never come to their hands, and that they believe they have been lost in "these late troubles." They have not been doubled by any man. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.). Endd. Ibid.* 188.

1654. 22 Aug. Assignment by John, Samuel and Mary, children of Peter Ticken, as above.

Assigning the share which has been allowed them in respect of their father's subscription, and which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) by the assignors,* Mary Ticken *signing with her mark, &c. Endd. Ibid.* 189.

1642. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from William Daniell, of London, goldsmith. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 190.

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18 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for :—

£175 from Sir John Wollaston, Alderman of London.
£50 ,, Richard Gibbes, of Hogsden [Hoxton].
£50 ,, Thomas Viner, of London, goldsmith.
£50 ,, Francis Ash, same.
£25 ,, Wm. Daniell ,,
£50 ,, Humphrey Beddingfield, same.
£50 ,, Wm. Gibbes, same.
£25 ,, Dr. John King, of St. Albans.
£25 ,, Richard Morell, of London, goldsmith.
£25 ,, Francis Wolley and Francis Archer, of London, haberdasher.
£50 ,, John Johnson, of London, merchant-tailor.
£25 ,, Alexander Jackson, of London, goldsmith.

P. ⅔. *Endd. S.P Ireland* 295, 191.

19 July. Certificate by Tibbs.

Wm. Daniell, citizen and goldsmith of London, by his will, dated 20 June, 1647, and proved 19 July, 1652, bequeathed his chattels and personal estate to his brother Thomas, and made him sole executor. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 192.

1654. 29 Nov. Assignment by Thos. and Susan Daniel, brother and widow of Wm. Daniell, as aforesaid.

Assigning the share which they hold by allowance of the Committee of Claims, and which has fallen in the barony of Illeagh [Ileagh], co. Tipperary, to Henry Raper, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 193.

1642. 26 March. 13 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Richard Newton, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* ⅓, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 194.

— May. 18 July. Two of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Samuel Slade, of Otterton. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 195.

1649. 21 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money advanced by Slade himself, and may be disposed of by him accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 197.

1653. 19 Nov. Assignment by Slade, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 196.

1642.
30 May.
22 Aug.
18 Nov.
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3 March.

Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Daniel Slade. *On same page.* *P.* 1. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 295, 198.

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13 July.

Certificate to the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Relating to foregoing. Similar to *S.P. Ireland* 295, 197, *q.v.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 200.

1653.
10 Nov.

Assignment by Daniel Slade, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 199.

1642.
31 March.
19 July.

Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Arthur Turner, sergeant-at-law. *P.* ½ *each, one endd.* *Ibid.* 201 *and* 202.

1653.
13 July.

Deposition of Edward Turner, of the Middle Temple.

He is the only son and heir of Arthur Turner, as above, who did not devise his Irish adventure by will or convey it by a deed. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), dated and certified by* Edward Eltonhed, one of the Masters of the Chancery, *and underwritten with* further certificate to same effect by Duling Salmon. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 203.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Humfrey Chaveney, or Chaveny, of Quarndon, in Leicestershire, did not, by his will dated 18 Oct., 1650, make any bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ⅓. *Signed (Hol.).* *Ibid.* 204.

1653.
28 July.

Deposition of John Wilcox, of Gutter Lane, silver wiredrawer, *æt.* 42.

He well knew Humfrey Chaveney, of the Rolls Chapel, Chancery Lane. Peter Chaveney, of Quarndon, Leicestershire, is reported his only son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) and dated and certified by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 205.

1642.
20 April.
13 July.
4 Oct.
21 Dec.

Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 from Chaveney, as aforesaid. *Each p.* ½, *two endd.* *Ibid.* 206–209.

1654.
6 April.

Assignment by Barnard Tremlett, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Samuel Eames, of London, clothworker. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.) and witnessed.* *Ibid.* 210.

1642.

28 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from John Yeo, of Exeter, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 211 *and* 212.

165⅔. 26 Jan. Assignment by John Yeo as above.
Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Bernard Tremlett, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Signed (Hol.) before witnesses. Add. and endd. Ibid.* 213.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Isaac Maudit or Mawdit, *jun.*, of Exeter, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 214 *and* 215.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The above receipts are for monies the property of Mawdit, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the City. Endd. Ibid.* 217.

165⅔. 26 Jan. Assignment by Mawdit.
Assigning his share to Bernard Tremlett, of London, merchant. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 216.

1653. 6 Aug. Bond by John Yates, of Westham, in Essex, clerk.

He binds himself in £200 to the "Keepers of the Liberties of England" to hold them harmless against all claims in respect of a share of £100 allowed by the Committee of Claims to his wife, Dorothy, lately the widow of the original investor, of Jeremiah Burroughs. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 218.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Jeremiah Burroughs, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 219.

1655. 30 Sept. Assignment by Everard Roberts, eldest son and heir of John Roberts, late of London, citizen and haberdasher.

Assigning his share of £300, which he has by his father's subscription, and which has fallen in the barony of Tinnehinch, Queen's Co., to Robert Hammon, of London, merchant. *Pp.* 1½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 220.

1653. 9 Aug. Certificate by Henry Croft.
Everard Roberts, of London, is the eldest son and heir of John Roberts, of London, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 221.

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Same by Tibbs.

The last will of John Roberts, as above, dated 24 Sept., 1637, and proved 14 Aug., 1651, left no bequest of his Irish adventure. He nominated his two brothers, Wm. Roberts, of Wardlie [Wardley ?], and Henry Stratford, of Halling, to be his executors. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 222.

1642. 19 July. Indenture tripartite of agreement between Sir Samuel Owfield, of Gatton, in Surrey, M.P., John Roberts, citizen and haberdasher of London, and George Morse, citizen and merchant-tailor of the same.

Recites that Owfield invested £1,200 in the Irish adventure at the request of Roberts and Moss, £600 of which should be for the use of Moss and Roberts in equal parts. The whole of this sum has now been paid in in these proportions. They agree to have the profits of this adventure in the same proportions, and Owfield guarantees that this shall be so. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Moss and Owfield *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 223.

1653. 27 Oct. Assignment by "Charles Rich, Esq., second son of the Rt. Hon. Robert, Earl of Warwick."

Assigning to William Jessop, Esq., of St. Andrew's, Holborn, a share in the Irish adventure, which he has as assignee of Henry, Lord O'Brien, who in turn held the share under the will of Devorax Farmer, of Braybrooke, in Northamptonshire, the original investor. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 224.

9 Aug. Certificate by Lady Elizabeth Gerard.

Her sister, Lady Anne Brien, had one daughter by her cousin Henry, Lord O'Brien. The child was called Mary, and lived for ten years or so, when it died. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 225.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Devoreux Farmer, of Northampton, by his will dated 9 Nov., 1643, and proved 30 April, 1644, devised his estate and his adventure in Ireland to Henry, Lord O'Brien, his nephew. Henry, Lord O'Brien was to convey the value of testator's personal estate to the testator's god-daughter, Lord O'Brien's daughter, Mary, when she attained twenty-one years or marries. He was also to assure to her the land set out for testator's Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 226.

1642. 30 April. 8 Nov. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £310, from Devourex, or Devorax Farmer above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 227 *and* 228.

164⁶⁄₇. 17 March. Indenture of agreement between Lord O'Brien, Baron of Ibrackin [Ibrickan], son and heir to Barnaby, Earl of Thomond, and Charles Rich, Esq.

O'Brien assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Rich, as recited in *S.P. Ireland* 295, 224, *q.v.* Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* O'Brien. *Endd. Ibid.* 229.

1655.

22 May. Assignment by Margaret Yard, of Honiton's Clist, in Devonshire.

Assigning her share in the Irish adventure to John Yard, of Honiton's Clist. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 230.

1642. 28 May. 14 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Mathias and John Yard. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 231.

Same. Two of same by same at the hands of Mrs. Margaret Yard, of Honiton's Clist, as foregoing. *Ibid.* 232.

1649. 28 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing four receipts are for shares, the property of John Mathias and Margaret Yard, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 233.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Agnes, widow of Peter Pitts, late of Exeter, deceased.

Assigning the share which she has from her late husband, and which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 234.

1642. 30 May. 16 Aug. 15 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 15 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Peter Pitts. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 235–8.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money really the property of the late Peter Pitts and Agnes, his widow, who may dispose of them. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 239.

1642. 28 May. 19 July. 15 Nov. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £75, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Nicholas Broking, Brokinge, or Brocking, of the same, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 240 *and* 241.

1653. 2 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money, the property of Broking, as above, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 242.

1654. 5 Aug. Assignment by John and Elizabeth Yonge, of Colebrooke, in Devon.

Elizabeth (wife of John) is the executrix of the last will of Philip Crossing, late of Exeter, merchant, who took a share in the Irish adventure. John and Elizabeth authorised Francis Clarke, of

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London, merchant, to draw for this share, and it has fallen in the barony of English. They assign it to Christopher Clarke, the younger, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed by both assignors, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 243.

1653. 6 Aug. Certificate by Sir John Davie, Bart., one of the Justices of the peace for Devonshire.

Elizabeth Yonge, late widow of Crossing [*as in foregoing*] produced to-day before me the last will of her late husband with a probate of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury dated 18 Nov., 1646, annexed thereto. In this will he left his share in the Irish adventure to his wife. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Davie, *before witnesses. Ibid.* 244.

1642. 11 April. 30 May. 30 June. 19 July. Five receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £160, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Crossing, as above. *On two pages, p.* 1 *and p.* ¼, *the latter underwritten with* :—

1652. 20 April. Certificate by Adam Bennett and Richard Saunders, late Deputy Lieutenants and Commissioners of Parliament for Exeter.

Certifying the signature of the Sheriff of Exeter, which they well know. *In all, pp.* 1½. *Ibid.* 245 *and* 246.

20 April. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above receipts, dated 30 May and 19 July, 1642, are for money really the property of Crossing and he may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 247.

1654. 9 Aug. Assignment by Wm. Fell, of Totnes, in Devonshire, merchant.

Assigning his share, which has fallen in the barony of English, King's Co., to Nicholas Broking, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 248.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 14 Nov. 164⅔. 17 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £70, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of Fell, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 249–252.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above four receipts are for money the property of Fell, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 253.

1642. 30 June. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Thos. Crowder, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 254.

1653. 28 July. Certificate by Andrewes.

Thomas Crowder, as above, paid in £25 for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 255.

1642.
28 May.
10 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., through the hands of George Troybridge, or Trobridge, of Ottery St. Mary. *P.* ½. *Underwritten with*—

1647. Certificate by Trobridge.

20 May. The £20 aforesaid is the property of Charles Vaghan, Esq., who is to have the benefit of it. *P.* ¼. *The whole endd. with*—

1650. (1) Certificate by Wm. Lees, James Osmond [?] and Henry Flower.

4 Sept. This writing was shown to John Vaghan, gent., Richard Verman, gent., and James Marshall, merchant, at the time of their examination before us.

(2) Other details regarding the adventure. *P.* 1, *with endorsements pp.* 1½. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 256.

1642.
30 May.
18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £600, received from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Charles Vaghan, of Ottery St. Mary. *On same page. Endd. with certificate similar to first endorsement to foregoing, and also generally. Ibid.* 257.

14 Nov. One of same for £10 from same through the hands of Trobridge, as above. *P.* ½. *Underwritten with*—

Certificate by Trobridge that this receipt is for monies really the property of Charles Vaghan. *P.* 1. *Endd. as foregoing. Ibid.* 258.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

26 July. The receipts showing payments of £600 by Vaghan and £30 by Trobridge [*see above, Nos.* 256, 257 *and* 258] are for monies really the property of Vaghan, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 259.

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16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £60, from Francis Scott, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 260.

1653. Agreement between John and Sarah Bardwell and Samuel Scott.

5 Aug. Francis Scott advanced £120 for Ireland, one half by himself and one half in company with Thos. Chewning, Wm. Ridges, John Fletcher, John Turlington and Richard Castell. John Bardwell, grocer, executor of Scott's will, and Sarah, his wife, sister of Francis Scott, and Samuel Scott, goldsmith, eldest brother of same, agree that the lot shall be allowed in the name of Samuel and Sarah. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by* John Bardwell and Samuel Scott. *Ibid.* 261.

1652. Certificate by Tibbs.

4 Aug. Francis Scott, deceased, late of Lombard Street, London, left no bequest of his Irish adventure by his last will, which is dated 30 Aug., 1649. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 262.

Same. Bond by John Bardwell and Samuel Scott, as above.

They are bound in £240 to "the Keepers of the Liberties of England in Parliament assembled" to keep them harmless against all claims in respect of a share of £120 in the Irish adventure, paid in by the late Francis Scott, and allowed by the Committee of claims to Sarah Bardwell, as above. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Bardwell and Scott. *Ibid.* 263.

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9 March. Indenture of agreement between Samuel Scott and John and Sarah Bardwell on the one part, and Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant, of the other.

The three persons of the first part assign their share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in Tipperary, to Erasmus Smith. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by the three assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 264.

10 Nov. Assignment by Nicholas Eveleigh, of Exeter.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 265.

1642. 30 May. 1 Aug. 12 Nov. 164⅔. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £30, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of Nicholas Eveleigh, of the same, merchant. *Two pages. Pp.* 2, *one endd. Ibid.* 266 *and* 267.

1653. 26 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums mentioned in the above receipts are properly the money of Eveleigh, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. with seal of the city. Ibid.* 268.

164½. 11 March. 1642. 11 June. 16 Sep. 16 Dec. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Harryman, in Cannon Street, London, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* ½ *or p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 269–271 *and* 273.

7 and 10 March. 21 May. 15 July. Four of same, in all for £300, from John Fountain, of Philpot Lane, London. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 272, 275, 276 *and* 278.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of John Fountain, as above, dated 15 Feb., 1649–50, and proved in 1650, gave no special gift of his Irish adventure. He divided his property into three parts, giving one to Mary his wife, and the other two to his children. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 274.

165⅔. 19 March. Assignment and power by Mary Fountain.

As widow and executrix of John Fountain, as above, she assigns to Wm. Hiccocks, citizen and brewer of London, £90 due to her, in right of her executorship, and part of her late husband's adventure. She gives him power to recover the sums due on receipts by the Treasurers for this sum. Ratification clause. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 277.

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4 April. 2 July. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Henry Arundell, of North-hall, in Middlesex, yeoman. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 279, 281 *and* 282.

4 April. 19 July. Three of same, in all for £40, from Kathrine Baker, of Uxbridge, widow. *Each p.* ⅔, *one underwritten with note* that this is part of the £2,000 subscribed in the House of Commons by Sir Gilbert Gerrard. *Another endd. Ibid.* 280, 283 *and* 284.

2 and 19 July. Two of same for £37 10*s.*, from Roger Nicholl, of Hillingdon, in Middlesex. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 285–6.

1653. 8 Aug. Deposition by Nicoll, or Nicholl, as above.
He advanced £50 in the Irish adventure. A receipt for half this sum has been lost. It has not been doubled or converted for profit. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Nicholl, *dated and certified by* Thomas Benet. *Endd. Ibid.* 287.

1654. 12 April. Assignment by Francis Ellis, of Great Kymble, in Bucks.
Assigning his share of £50, which was part of the £1,000 invested in the name of Col. John Hampden, and which has fallen in the barony of Upper Iveagh, co. Down, to Wm. Barker, of London, Esq. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 288.

1642. 22 July. Agreement by Col. John Hampden, of Great Hampden, in Bucks.
He agrees that, whatever return is made to his investment of £1,000 for Irish land, he will see that Francis Ellis gets thereof a part proportionate to his investment of £200. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., by* John Hampden *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 289.

20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £800, from Thos. Melhuish, Thos. Leigh, Roger Clay, Bernard Tremblet, Samuel Eames, Wm. Gunston, Giles Sumpter and Lawrence Saunders, factors, of London. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 290 *and* 291.

1654. 15 April. Assignment by Saunders, or Sanders, as above.
Assigning his share to Eames, as above. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd., and with note attached, giving the shares in the joint adventure. Ibid.* 292.

165¾. 25 Feb. Colnestock. Certificate by Hen. Baker, Thos. Wynd, Thos. Lippincott, and Alexander Melhuish or Melheuish.
Thomas Melhuish, as above, died intestate. His "reliqued" took administration of his estate. He had one daughter living at the time of his decease, who is since deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed by those certifying. Endd. Ibid.* 293.

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16 Nov. Certificate of John Mosyer.
Thomas Leigh, of Tiverton, in Devon, is the reputed eldest son and heir of Thomas Leigh, late of Tiverton, clothier, deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 295, 294.

1 May. Assignment by Mary Melhuish.
Assigning the share which she has from her father Thomas to Samuel Eames, of London, clothworker. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 295.

20 April. 19 July. Two receipts, apparently copies of *S.P. Ireland* 295, 290 *and* 291, *q.v. Each p.* ½ (*on parchment*). *Ibid.* 296 *and* 297.

165½. 2 March. Indenture of agreement between Bernard Tremlett, of London, factor, and Samuel Eames, of the same, clothworker.
Tremlett assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Eames. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Tremlett. *Endd. Ibid.* 298.

1642. 19 July. 11 Oct. 1643. 4 Jan. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,020, from George Powell (Mayor in 1642), Jasper Chaplin (Mayor in 1643), John Trowbridge, or Trobridge, George Searle, Edward Webber and Robert Mogridge for themselves and others in the adventure of the Corporation of Taunton. *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd. The name* Mogridge *appears in the last receipt only. Ibid.* 299-301.

1653. 5 Aug. Certificate by Thos. Nicholas, Mayor of Taunton.
Jasper Chaplin, of the borough of Taunton, came to-day before me and made oath that he paid in £340 for part of the share of Taunton in the Irish adventure about the month of March, 164⅔ —he being then Mayor of Taunton. The receipt therefor was lost. It has not been sold or doubled with his privity or consent. *P.* ½. *Signed by the* Mayor *with seal of the borough. Endd. Ibid.* 302.

1642. 18 April. 13 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £33 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Francis Archer, of London, haberdasher. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 304.

1647. 20 Dec. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £8 6*s.* 8*d.*, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 303.

Same. Same by same for £25, from George Warren, citizen and draper of London. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 305.

1642. 29 March. Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 306.

1653. 16 Aug. Assignment by Thos. Warren.
In consideration of Wm. Van Brug signing and ratifying the within written instrument (*see following*) and of other things he

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assigns his share in the Irish adventure to Francis Archer, citizen and haberdasher of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed before witnesses. Endd. with—*

1652. 30 Nov. Assignment by William Van Brug, of London, merchant.

As administrator of George Warren's estate he assigns the above said share to Francis Archer. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, p.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *S.P. Ireland* 295, 307.

1653. 8 Aug. Assignment by Isaac Pennington, of London, alderman.

Assigning a share which he has as assignee of Sir Arthur Ingram to Daniel Waldo, citizen and clothworker of London. £300 of the £1,000 of right belongs to Waldo. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., and witnessed. Endd. Ibid.* 308.

1642. 5 April. 8 July. Note that £600 was adventured by John Dethick, of London, mercer, Capt. Robt. Tichborne, of London, skinner, and Joseph Parker, of London, skinner.

£200 of this was Parker's share.

£100 is allowed to Henry Burton, of London, merchant, son and heir of Henry Burton, minister. *P.* 1 (*small*). *Ibid.* 309.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by Sarah Burton.

Henry Burton, now living, is the son and heir of Henry Burton, late of London, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed by* Sarah *with her mark. Ibid.* 310.

Certificate by Joseph Parker.

In an acquittance of 5 April, 1643, which lies in Mr. John Dethick's hands there is mention of £200 made "received of [? as] my third proportion with Mr. Dethick and Capt. Robt. Tichborne of the Irish adventure." £100 of the £200 received in my name belongs to Henry Burton. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Parker *and endd. with* :—

1649. 20 June. Assignment by John Dethick, of London, alderman.

Assigning the £100 mentioned in the above to Sarah Burton, of London, widow. It is part of the £200 which came to the assignor by his marriage with Anna, executrix of Joseph Parker. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., by* John and Anna Dethick. *In all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 311.

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30 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Lieut.-Col. or Sergeant-Major Joseph Wagstaff, of London. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 1 *and* 2.

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3 Aug. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

William Wagstaff, or Wagstaffe, merchant-tailor, paid in £25 for the Irish adventure on 29 March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 3.

1643. 3 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from William Wagstaff, of Watling Street, London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 4.

1653. 12 Aug. Deposition by Sarah Byfield, wife of Richard Byfield, of Long Ditton, in Surrey.

Several acquittances for sums paid in by Wm. and Joseph Wagstaff, including an assignment from Joseph to William, are lost, and were not converted to his advantage. Wm. Wagstaff, late her husband, died without making a will. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Sarah Byfield *and certified and dated by* Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 5.

1642. 18 June. Indenture of agreement between Joseph Wagstaff, of Harbury, in Warwickshire, Esq., and Wm. Wagstaff, as above.

Joseph, in consideration of £62 10*s.* paid him by William and in consideration of William's promising to pay in the remainder of Joseph's investment of £125 (of which Joseph has already paid in one half) assigns his interest in his shares of £100 and of £25 to William. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾ (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Joseph Wagstaff. *Endd. Ibid.* 6.

165½. 2 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Joseph Gollier, or Collyer, paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 7.

1642. 9 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Collier. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 8.

1643. 14 Aug. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 9.

1653. 23 July. Certificate by Hoogan Hovell, Thos. Clarke and Wm. Hiccocks.

Joseph Collier is the eldest son of Joseph Collier, deceased. *P.* ⅙. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 10.

1 Aug. Assignment by Joseph Collier, of London, citizen and grocer.

Assigning his share to Benjamin Collier, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by* Collier. *Ibid.* 11.

1642. 28 March. 11 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Stafford Clare, of London, waxchandler. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 12 *and* 13.

Memorandum concerning the will of Elizabeth Clare, of the Parish of St. Dunstan's in the East, London, widow.

By her will dated 28 Oct., 1647, and proved 8 Jan., 164⅞, she bequeathed her whole estate to her daughters, Elizabeth and Mary, to be divided equally between them after other charges had been paid. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 14.

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Similar memorandum on the will of Stafford Clare (*as above, Nos.* 12 *and* 13).

By his will dated 26 Aug. and proved 21 Sept., 1647, he bequeathed his estate in same way as the foregoing. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 15.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by John Clare and Thos. Clarke.

At the time of his death Stafford Clare, late citizen and wax-chandler of London, had only two daughters, vizt., Elizabeth and Mary, who are his co-heirs. Benjamin Collyer, citizen and grocer, married with the said Elizabeth. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 16.

10 Nov. Assignment by Nicholas Bolt, of Exeter, silkweaver.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by* Bolt. *Endd. Ibid.* 17.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. $164\frac{2}{3}$. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Nicholas Bolt, as above. *In all, p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 18.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for monies belonging to Bolt, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 19.

1642. 18 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,200, from the Right Worshipful Martin or Marten Lumley, Esq., son and heir of Sir Martin Lumley, Kt. and Bt., M.P. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Both endd. Ibid.* 20 *and* 21.

$165\frac{3}{4}$. 14 Feb. Indenture of agreement between Charles Lloyd, of London, Esq., and George Clarke, of London, merchant.

Sir Martin Lumley, of Gt. Bradfield, or Much Bradfield, in Essex, who, as Martin Lumley, Esq., had invested a sum [*see foregoing*] in the Irish adventure, assigned the same by indenture dated 19 Oct., 1653, to Lloyd. Lloyd now assigns £200, a part thereof, to Clarke. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Lloyd. *Endd. Ibid.* 22.

1653. 19 Oct. Assignment by Lumley to Lloyd.

As mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Lumley. *Endd. Ibid.* 23.

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10 Nov. Assignment by George Clarke, or Clerke.

Assigning his share [*see No.* 22, *above*], which has fallen in the barony of Conello, co. Limerick, to Francis Bigge, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Clarke. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 24.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by James Marshall, of Exeter, merchant.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by* Marshall. *Ibid.* 25.

1649. 18 July. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

James Marshall, as above, subscribed £200 through Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Ibid.* 26.

1642. 11 April. 30 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £200, from James Marshall, as above. *On same page. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 27.

31 March. 24 June. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £337 10*s.*, from Edward Cooke, of London, apothecary. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 28 *and* 29.

1653. 28 June. Assignment by Benjamin Cooke, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Richard Cooke, his brother, silkman, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by* Cooke. *Ibid.* 30.

Memorandum by Wm. Tibbs.

On Sunday, 29 Sept., 1644, John Cooke, of the parish of St. Dionis, Backchurch, London, deceased, declared his last will and testament nuncupative as follows, vizt.: He said to his brother Edward, who was then present with him. "My dear brother, I make thee my executor and leave all I have to thy disposing. Do what thou wilt." These words or the like in effect he spake with intent to dispose of his estate in the presence and hearing of Elizabeth Walker, Ellen Miller and others. The will was proved 23 Oct., 1644. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 31.

Memorandum on the last will of Edward Cooke, Dr. of Physic.

By this will, which was dated 3 Dec., 1651, and proved 31 Aug., 1652, he bequeathed his own part in the Irish adventure, and the part left him by his brother, to his wife. Mary Cooke was his wife and sole executrix. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 32.

Same on the last will of Edward Cooke, citizen and apothecary of London.

By this will, dated 23 Jan., 164$\frac{3}{4}$, and proved 30 April, 1644, at Oxford, Cooke bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to his four sons, Edward, John, Benjamin and Richard—reserving thereout a portion which was due to his son-in-law, Robert Priaulx. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 33.

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19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £337 10*s.*, from Edward Cooke, citizen and apothecary of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 34.

1643. 20 July. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £112 10*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 35.

Notes on the foregoing documents.

Details are given of the sums adventured by Edward Cooke, of London, apothecary. The material part of his will [*see above, No.* 33] is given, and also parts of the wills of Dr. Edward Cooke [*see above, No.* 32] and John Cooke [*see above, No.* 31].

A list is also given showing the sums allowed in virtue of these documents to Robert Priaulx, Benjamin and Richard, sons of Edward Cooke, and Mary, the widow of Edward Cooke the younger. *In all, pp.* 1½. *Ibid.* 36.

1654. 1 May. Assignment by Richard, son of Edward Cooke the elder, and Mary, widow of Dr. Edward Cooke the younger.

Assigning to Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London, the share in the Irish adventure purchased by Edward Cooke the elder, deceased, and Mary Cooke, one of the assignors hereof. For this lots have fallen partly in the barony of Cullenagh, Queen's Co., and partly in that of Ileagh, co. Tipperary. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by the assignors. Ibid.* 37.

5 July. Same by Bartholomew Fosson, as above.

Assigning such part of the share which he holds under the foregoing as is fallen in the barony of Ileagh, and is of the value of £409 7*s.*, to Richard Boughton, of Chichester, gentleman, Thomas White, of Horsham, Esq., and John Dawling, of Westerham, in Kent, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by* Fosson. *Endd. Ibid.* 38.

13 June. Same by same.

Assigning so much of the same share as is fallen in the barony of Cullenagh to Robert Western, of London, merchant. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 39.

1653. 8 Aug. Assignment by Walter Holditch, of Exeter, merchant, Wm. White, of "Hilhamlands," in Dorset, and Dorothy, his wife.

Walter married Edith, the natural sister of John White, of Exeter, merchant, deceased, and William White married Dorothy, the other natural sister of the same, and administratrix of his goods. They assign the share in Irish land which they have through John White to Wm. Hitchcock, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by the assignors. Ibid.* 40.

Copy of entry in the Registrary of the Prerogative Court.

Showing that on 2 March, 164⅔, commission issued therefrom to Wm., Dorothy and Edith White to administer the goods of Walter White, of Exeter, deceased. *P.* ½. *Certified by* Thos. Thorne, notary public. *Ibid.* 41.

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5 April. 24 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £200, from John White, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 42.

165¾. 13 Feb. Assignment by Thos. Tacke, or Tack, of Exeter, draper.

Assigning to George Clerke, of London, merchant, the share in Irish land which he purchased through the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 43.

1654. 24 May. Same by Clerke, as above.

Assigning part of the share assigned him by foregoing, and a further share also in Eastmeath, which he has by assignment from Gilbert Clare, of Exeter, joiner, to Heritage Harford, minister, of Thames Ditton, in Surrey. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Clerke. *Endd. Ibid.* 44.

1653. 20 Aug. Same by Tack, as above.

Assigning a further share in the Irish adventure, which he has invested through the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, to Wm. Hitchcock, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 45.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £22 10*s.*, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Tack. *Each p.* ½, *two endd. Ibid.* 46–48.

164⅔. 12 Feb. 1653. 12 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money really the property of Tack, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 49.

1642. 20 April. 12 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from Wm. Searle, of Honiton, in Devon. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 50.

19 July. One of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £195 from Christopher Searle, of London, dyer. *P.* ½, *with note by* Searle that on 28 March in the same year he paid in £65 more for himself and "divers of our parishioners." *Endd. Ibid.* 51.

1653. 19 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Christopher Searle, of Southwark, "subscribed to adventure" £260 for Irish land on 28 March, 1642, and paid in £65 on that day, for which he had no receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Endd. Ibid.* 52.

1642. 30 May. 15 July. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £30, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Robert Searle, of Honiton. *Each p.* 1. *Ibid.* 53 *and* 54.

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26 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money properly belonging to Searle, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 55.

6 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from John Searle, of Sidbury, in Devon, clerk. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *on one page. Ibid.* 56.

20 April. 10 and 18 July. Three of same, in all for £400, from Richard White, of Axminster, in Devon. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *on one page, with note by* R. Bates that Richard White, aged about 12 years, is the son of the eldest son of the above Richard, "who is also deceased." *Endd. Ibid.* 57.

1653. 5 Aug. Lyme Regis. Certificate by the Mayor and others of Lyme Regis.

Of the £400 advanced for the Irish adventure by Richard White, late of Axminster, deceased, one-third was advanced by Wm. Osborne, late of Youghal, in Ireland, and now of Chard, in Somerset. This is admitted by Mary White, administratrix of Richard White's property. He has proved the fact of his advance to us. Certificate accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Richard Alford, mayor, Anthony Ellesdon, John Davy and Amiell Hart. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 58.

10 Aug. Same by Alford, as above.

Mary White, as above, acknowledged before me that her late husband, Wm. Osborne [*as in foregoing*], and Nicholas Baggbeer, *sen.*, late of Newport, I.W., were for many years partners in the Irish trade. When the Acts for reducing the Irish rebels were passed they agreed to invest—out of their common stock—£400 in Irish lands under them. Mary acknowledges that her husband often admitted that Bagbeer and Osborne were partners with him in this venture. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Alford. *Ibid.* 59.

1652. 8 Sep. Certificate by Mary White.

She admits the facts stated in the foregoing. She will not alienate Osborne's share and will do what may be necessary to secure it for him. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 60.

Same by Alford, as above.

Richard White, the original investor in the above adventure, is dead. His son Richard is also dead, and his grandson Richard is alive, living with that grandchild's mother Ellen White in the town of Lyme. The grandchild is about twelve years old. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed and with the seal of the borough of Lyme Regis. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

Certificate by Tibbs.

In the last will of Richard Willet, citizen and ironmonger of London, dated 9 Oct. and proved 23 Oct., 1646, he bequeathed a half of his interest in the Irish adventure to his wife Anne for her life, and the other half thereof to his son, Richard Willett, with the reversion of the half so left to his wife for her life. During the minority of the son, the wife was to devote his moiety to his

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"necessary convenient and Christian maintenance and education," and shall give him an account when he attains his majority or marries. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 296, 62.

1643. 16 Aug. 30 Sep. 11 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £125, from Richard Willett, of Aldermary Church yard, London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 63, 64 *and* 65.

164½. 22 March. 1642. 30 April. 1 July. Four of same, in all for £500, by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, from "Richard Willet of London merchant" or "merchant tailor" [*perhaps same as foregoing*]. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 66–69.

1643. 11 and 12 Oct. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from same, for lands in Waterford City. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 70 *and* 71.

1653. 25 July. Certificate by William Webb.

Abraham Puller, of Hertford, deceased, and Gabriel Barber, of the same, deceased, formerly adventured £200 each for lands in Ireland. Isaac Puller, of Hertford, gent., is the only living child and heir of Abraham, and Dr. Gabriel Barber, of Norwich, is the eldest living son of Gabriel, as aforesaid. Joseph Barber, of Shitlington, Beds., and John Barber, of Caldwell, in the same, are other sons of Gabriel, who are to have £100 of Gabriel's share divided between them. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Webb. *Endd. Ibid.* 72.

Same. Wm. Webb to Lieut.-Col. Fenton, Capt. Manton and the rest of the Committee for setting forth lands to the adventurers in Ireland.

I send you a certificate of the persons interested in the adventures of £200 each by Puller and Barber, and send you also several bills in the name of Richard Willett [*see above Nos.* 66–69].

I have already stated his case to Dr. Hubbert, whom I find to be one of you. As I cannot yet wait upon you I write to ask that the heir and myself may not be prejudiced by my absence. I should not particularise the bills, but that the terms on which the money for which they were given was advanced require it. The first £500 was advanced under one or more Acts for that purpose; then £125 under the Ordinance of July, 1643, and then £50 for lands in Waterford [*see foregoing, Nos.* 64–71]. You know that there is a clause in the said ordinance that all who advanced sums for houses in towns should have the rest of their adventure lie contiguous to the towns which they chose; so that with regard to the £1,250 [*i.e.*, £500 and £125 doubled, *see above, Nos.* 63–69], there is no need to cast a lot as to province and county. The facts of the case are that Anna, the relict of Richard Willett, is my wife, and has yet living by her late husband an only child, Richard, aged about 14 years.

[*Details of Willett's will, as above, No.* 62, *given.*] As I am interested in this matter, I beg you to see that I am not prejudiced and I desire—so far as I can judge at this distance—to stand to the

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conditions of the ordinance of July, 164[3], which I am sure you will allow me. *Pp.* 1¾. *Signed by* Webb. *Add. and endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 73.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Abraham Puller, of Hertford, clerk, dated April 12, and proved 27 June, 1648, makes no bequest of his adventure in Ireland. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 74.

Same by same.

Gabriell Barber, of Hertford, by his last will, dated 14 June, 1649, bequeathed £100 of his share in Ireland to his sons, John and Joseph. *Ibid.* 75.

1642. 22 March. 1 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Gabriel Barber, of Hertford, gentleman. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 76 *and* 77.

29 March. 1 July. Same for same from Abraham Puller, of Hertford, minister. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 78 *and* 79.

14 July. One of same for £25 from Edward Savell, of Stansted Mountfitchett, in Essex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 80.

1653. 20 July. Harlow, in Essex. Certificate by John Savell, *sen.*, Wm. Thompson and John Savell, *jun.*

Edward Savell, as above, died a year since. He did not dispose of his share in the Irish adventure, and left a daughter whose name is Anne Savell. She is about two years old, and is his heir. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 81.

165⅘. 19 Feb. Assignment by Wm. Bewley, or Bewly, of London, draper.

Assigning his share of £100, which is part of the £300 advanced by Thomas his late father, himself, and Thomas Bewley, of London, draper, and which has fallen in the south east quarter No. 2 of the barony of Portnehinch, Queen's Co., to the second-named Thomas Bewley. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 82.

1642. 1 April. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £75, from Thos. Bewley, *sen.*, Thomas Bewley, *jun.*, and Wm. Bewley, of London, drapers. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 83 *and* 84.

1653. 16 Aug. Certificate by Wm. Newbold, gentleman, of the Old Jewry.

Thomas Bewley the younger, as above, is the eldest son and heir of Thomas Bewley the elder. *P.* ⅓. *Signed. Ibid.* 85.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The will of Thos. Bewley the elder, as above, dated 10 May, and proved 25 Nov., 1643, contains no gift of his Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 86.

165⅘. 12 March. Assignment by Thos. Bewley the younger.

Assigning his various shares in the Irish adventure, to the value of £300, for £172 10*s.* paid him, to Robert Western, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Bewley. *Endd. Ibid.* 87.

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16 April. 25 June. 14 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from Bernard or Barnard Starr, of Exeter, upholsterer. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *on same page. Followed by—*

1653. 20 July. Certificate by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.
Certifies the receipts. Bernard is dead, and his widow Eleanor has married Edmond Starr, grocer, of Exeter. Eleanor was sole executrix of Barnard's will. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed by* Herman, *and with "seal of the Mayoralty of the City of Exeter, in such cases used." In all, p.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 88.

10 Nov. Assignment by John son and heir of Bernard Starr, as above, deceased.
Assigning the share in the Irish adventure, which he has as his father's heir, and which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the assignor. Ibid.* 89.

10 Aug. Certificate by Edmond and "Elnor" Starr.
John Starr is the only son of Bernard Starr. The late Bernard did not dispose of his Irish adventure by will. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *followed by—*

6 Aug. Certificate of Ralph Herman, as above, corroborating foregoing. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Herman. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 91.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £30, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Roger Summers or Sommers, of Exeter, fuller. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 90 *and* 92.

1649. 20 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing receipts are for money properly belonging to Summers, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 93.

11 Sep. Same by same.

The receipts given by the Sheriff of Exeter on 30 May and 19 July, 1642, for certain sums received from the Corporation of Exeter by the hands of John and Robert Sprague were for monies really the property of the Spragues, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 94.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by John Sprague and Robert Sprague, butcher, of Exeter.
Assigning their share in the Irish adventure, for which a lot has been drawn and fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by both assignors before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50, from John and Robert Sprague, as described above [*see No.* 94] *on same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 96.

Undated. 1642. 30 May. 20 Aug. 17 Nov. Four of same by same, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Wm. Simmes, of Chard, in Somerset. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 97, 98, 99 *and* 99*a*.

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22 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing receipts are for sums properly belonging to Simmes, as above, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½. *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 100.

1642. 18 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Solomon Sibly, of London, salter. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 101 *and* 102.

28 March. 14 July. Two of same, in all for £50, from Leonard Tarrant, of the borough of Southwark, yeoman. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 103 *and* 104.

26 Dec. 1643. 3 Feb. 25 May. Three of same by the Treasurers of Monies and Plate, in all for £20, from same, "of St. Olave's, Southwark, tobacco-cutter." *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 105–7.

19 July. Receipt by Edward Cooke and Richard Shute "being constituted and appointed by Sir Arthur Hesilrige receivers of monies, horse, arms, and other provisions lent to Sir Wm. Waller or the said Sir Arthur Hesilrige for better enabling them to keep the field," for £5 from Tarrant, as above, "to be repaid with interest out of the public stock of the kingdom according to an ordinance of Lords and Commons assembled in Parliament 25 April, 1643." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 109.

14 Oct. Receipt for £10 from the same by Richard Waring and Michael Herring, "being Treasurers appointed by the Committee of the House of Commons sitting at Goldsmith's Hall for raising of money towards the paying of the £100,000 agreed to be forthwith advanced for our brethren of Scotland towards the payment of their army raised for our assistance . . . which is to be repaid . . . with interest after the rate of eight per cent., for the speedy payment whereof the public faith of both nations is engaged." *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 108.

1644. 21 April. Receipt for £2 from the same by Sir Thomas Middleton, Kt., "being so much voluntarily lent by him towards the raising of forces to be employed under my command for the reducing of North Wales to their due obedience to the King and Parliament . . . to be repaid with interest for the same after the rate of eight per cent. per annum by such ways and means as are expressed in an ordinance of the Lords and Commons in Parliament published in print the one and twentieth of February last, enabling me, the said Sir Thomas Middleton, to take subscriptions for the service aforesaid." *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 110.

14 May. Receipt for £3 from same by Sir Wm. Brereton, Bart., lent by him "towards the raising of forces for reducing the County of Chester and places adjacent to their due obedience and securing thereof, and for prevention of the access of Irish forces into those

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parts . . . . to be repaid with interest for the same at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, by such ways and means as are expressed in an ordinance of the Lords and Commons . . . published in print the 26th day of March last enabling me to take subscriptions for the service aforesaid." *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 111.

1653. 8 April. Assignment by Leonard Tarrant, as above.
Assigning his various investments [*for which see foregoing, Nos.* 103–111] to Richard Shelbery, citizen and scrivener of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 112.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Thomas Springett, of Plumpton, in Sussex, by his last will, dated 1 Oct., 1652, bequeathed his Irish adventure in Ireland to his brother Anthony. He also bequeathed to him his principal house in Lewes in which testator's mother lived after the mother's death. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 113.

1642. 27 Sep. 31 Dec. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Springett, of Lewes, in Sussex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 114 *and* 116.

31 March. 22 June. Two of same by Giles Garton, sheriff of Sussex, for £100, from same. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Garton. *Ibid.* 115 *and* 118.

19 April. 18 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Gulson, or Gulston, of London, painter-stainer. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 117 *and* 117*a*.

1650. 14 Dec. Assignment by Gulston, as above.
Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Hales, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 118.

1642. 29 March. 20 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100 advanced by Charles Hopping, of Exeter, fuller. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *on one page. Endd. Ibid.* 120.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

Wm. Heathcoat, Heathcot, or Heathcoate, of Derbyshire, by his last will dated 22 Jan., 164$\frac{3}{4}$, and proved 11 Feb., 164$\frac{6}{7}$, revoked all his previous wills and bequeathed all his goods and chattels equally among his wife and his four children, Mary, Joseph, Martha and Benjamin Heathcoate. He devised his share in the Irish adventure to his two sons, and appointed his father-in-law, George Youle, and his brother, Nicholas Heathcoate, to have the disposing of his

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children's portion for their better education. These guardians to have the children's portions handed over to them and to receive £3 6*s.* 8*d.* apiece. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 121.

24 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Thos. Bretland, Richard Wood, Wm. Heathcot and Paul Fletcher, of Chesterfield in Derbyshire. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 122.

19 July. Same for £75, from Heathcote, of same, alone. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 123.

Same. Same by same for same sum from Paul Fletcher alone. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 124.

Same. Same from Richard Wood, of "Chesterfield, apothecary." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 125.

Same. Same from Bretland, as above [*No.* 122]. *P.* ½, *with note* that Ralph Clarke and Nicholas Stone [are] executors to Bretland. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 126.

1653. Deposition by Ralph Clarke, of Chesterfield.

13 Aug. Thomas Bretland, as above [*No.* 122] is deceased. He made no bequest of his Irish adventure, and Thomas Bretland, now living is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Clarke *and dated and certified by* Reginald Bretland, Mayor of [Chesterfield]. *Ibid.* 127.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Mathew Ash and John Alwood, or Allwood, of Chesterfield. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 128 *and* 130.

1653. Deposition by Allwood.

9 Aug. Mathew Ash, who was partner with him in the foregoing adventure, is dead and did not make any bequest of his adventure so far as Allwood knows. Allwood advanced £30 and Ash £20, and John Ash is son and heir to Mathew. *P.* ½, *the last part hol. and signed by* Allwood: *dated and certified by* Reginald Bretland. *Endd. Ibid.* 129.

1650. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

22 June. Ralph Clarke, as above, subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure in April and July, 1642. The receipts miscarried. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 131.

1653. Deposition by Ralph Clarke, as above.

13 Aug. The receipts for the adventure mentioned in the foregoing, which are missing, have not been doubled at Gurney House or converted for profit. He guarantees the Commonwealth against claims by others in respect of these receipts. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Clarke *and certified and dated by* Reg. Bretland, Mayor. *Endd. Ibid.* 132.

1654. 1 July. Assignment by John Paynter, of Bristol, merchant, son and heir of Henry Paynter, clerk, deceased, and Lidiah, or Lydia, his wife, formerly known by the name of Lydia Jerdaine.

Assigning their several lots, which have fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the assignors. Endd. Ibid.* 133.

1642.

28 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Henry Paynter, clerk. *P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 134 *and* 135.

1653. 13 Aug. Exeter. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The above two receipts are for money really the property of Paynter, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 136.

25 July. Certificate by Tibbs.

Philip Meade, of London, fishmonger, advanced £20 for Ireland. Receipt for a part thereof is lost. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Tibbs, *with further corroboration by* Alderman Avery. *Endd. Ibid.* 137.

1644. 10 Oct. 164$\frac{4}{5}$. 18 Jan. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £13 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Philip Meade, of London, fishmonger. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 138 *and* 139.

1653. 6 Aug. Assignment by Meade, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, to John Larder, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 140.

9 Aug. Same by Larder.
Assigning same to John Hurst, citizen and cook of London. *P.* 1, *as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

1643. 7 Aug. 4 Sep. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £8 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Wm. Heather, of Dorking, in Surrey, yeoman. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 142 *and* 143.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from same. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 144 *and* 145.

20 April. 11 and 19 July. Three of same by same, in all for £300, from Stephen Phesant, or Pheasant, of Gray's Inn. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *each, one endd. Ibid.* 146–8.

1650. 4 Dec. Assignment by Pheasant, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, to John Hales, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 149.

1653. 18 Aug. Deposition of Benjamin Cooke, of London, merchant, aged 23 years, taken before Alderman Thos. Atkin, of same.

Wm. Reynolds, late of London, mercer, subscribed £200 for the Irish adventure. Reynolds is now dead, and left no bequest of his Irish investment. Abraham Reynolds, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Cooke *and certified by* Atkin. *Ibid.* 150.

1653.

13 Aug. Declaration by Abraham Reynolds, son and heir to Wm. Reynolds, of Thriplow, in Cambridge.

He is fully satisfied for two Irish bills sold by his mother Mrs. Mary Reynolds, wife and sole administratrix of his father. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., by* Reynolds *before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 296, 151.

Assignment by Mary Reynolds.

She assigns "this bill" of £50 with interest, lent on 2 July, 1642, for the Irish adventure to the use and uses of Richard Hunt. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., by* Reynolds *before witnesses and endd. with*—

Undertaking by Wm. Cresce.

He undertakes to maintain as good two bills which Mr. Richard Hunt bought of Mrs. Mary Reynolds, wife and administratrix of Wm. Reynolds. *P.* ⅓ (*Hol.*), *in all, pp.* 1⅓. *Ibid.* 152.

Assignment by Mary Reynolds.

She assigns to Richard Hunt "this bill" of £100 in the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 153.

1642. 2 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Wm. Reynolds, of Lombard Street, London, mercer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 154 *and* 155.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by John Holwill.

Assigning a share which he formerly advanced in the name of the City of Exeter, and which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 156.

1642. 30 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £40, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Holwill, as above. *P.* ¼. *Ibid.* 157.

1649. 22 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for money which was the property of Holwill, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 158.

1653. 12 Nov. Assignment by John Elwill, of Exeter, merchant.

Assigning the following shares, which have fallen in Co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c. Endd. Ibid.* 159.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £32 10*s.*, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Elwill, of same, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 160 *and* 161.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above receipts are for sums really the property of Elwill, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 162.

1642.

18 April. 4 and 16 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from Robert Hore, of Exeter, fuller. *P.* ⅔, *followed by*—

165⁰⁄₁. 14 March. Certificate by Richard Evans, Mayor; John Hakewill; Chr[istopher] Clark and Richard Saunders.

They were Commissioners for Exeter at the time the above receipts were given and believe the money to have been paid in by Hore. Hore was slain in the siege laid to the City of Exeter by the King's army and left a wife with small means of subsistence. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by the above. In all, p.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 163.

1652. 8 Sep. Exeter. Agnes Saunders to Mr. Eames.

My former husband, Hore, was slain before Exeter in the Parliament's service and died intestate. I took administration of his goods, &c., and afterwards married John Saunders, my now husband. My now husband, conceiving himself interested, made a letter of attorney to Mr. Marshall, to which I agreed and subscribed. The letters of administration and Marshall's assignment to you will be sent to you as soon as I receive your answer hereto. If I send you the assignment the consideration shall be in general terms as you desire.

P.S.—Mr. Reepers, now at Barnstaple fair, would have written you this much if he had been at home. I desire you to give credit to this as if it had been from him. My husband is now in service in the Isle of Scilly and cannot there make any other assignment or power of attorney. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 164.

1653. 4 Aug. Deposition by Thos. Barssome, or Barsham, of London, fishmonger.

Henry Eldred, late of London, "clothworker," adventured £500 for lands in Ireland. Eldred is since dead, and made no bequest of his adventure. Robert Eldred, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by deponent and certified and dated by* Robt. Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 165.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100 from Henry Eldred, of London, "cheesemonger." *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 166.

1654. 5 Oct. Assignment by John Elford, of Devonshire.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure of £75 to Thos. Juxon, of London, merchant tailor. The lot therefor has fallen in the north-east part of the barony of Cullenagh, Queen's Co. The consideration is £40. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by* Elford *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 167.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £75, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Elford, of "Shepstow," [Sheepstor?], in Devon. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 168–170.

1652.

25 May. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above receipts are for sums the property of Elford, as above, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 171.

1653. 4 Aug. Deposition by Wm. Botterell, of Ludlow, in Salop.

The receipt for £50 which he paid in for the Irish adventure in 1642, is lost, and has not been doubled at Gurney House, or converted for profit. He guarantees the State against all future claims in respect of it. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by deponent and certified and dated by* J. Sadler. *Ibid.* 172.

1641. 2 July. 1642. 2 July. 1643. 2 April. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Christopher Bidle, of Wapping, shipwright. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. with note* that the sum was allowed to Joan, the wife of Christopher. *Ibid.* 173–5.

1652. 6 Oct. Indenture of agreement between John and Agnes Saunders, as above [*see No.* 164 *above*] and Daniel Eames, citizen and clothworker of London.

The Saunders' assign their share, as above, to Eames. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by both* (*with* Agnes's *mark before witnesses*). *Endd. Ibid.* 176.

1642. 19 April. 24 Oct. 1643. 30 Jan. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. Barker, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 177–9.

1642. 27 Sep. Same by same for £12 10*s.*, from Thos. Ballard, of Cuckfield, in Sussex. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 180.

31 March. Same by the Sheriff of Sussex for £6 5*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *Signed by the* Sheriff. *Ibid.* 181.

Deposition by Ballard, as above.

He subscribed £25 for lands in Ireland. The receipt for £6 5*s.*, part of this, is lost but has not been doubled or used for profit. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Ballard. *Followed by*—

1653. 30 July. Certificate by John Albery [?], Mayor of Arundel.

Thomas Ballard came before him, and swore as above. *P.* ¼, *in all, p.* ⅘. *Endd. Ibid.* 182.

1653.

18 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

On April 1, 1642, Nathaniel Hallowes, M.P., Alderman of Derby, adventured with others £1,400 for lands in Ireland. Of this adventure Robert Barfoote, merchant-tailor, had a £100 share, and he had therefore an interest of £25 on the first instalment of £350, paid in by Hallowes on that date. The receipt for this £350 is lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed. S.P. Ireland* 296, 183.

1642. 27 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the agreement between the King and Parliament for £75 from Barfoote, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 184.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Robert Barfoote, dated 8 Nov., 1642, and proved 23 April, 1652, gave to his brother Benedict the £100 which he had adventured "for the cause of God in Ireland." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 185.

1653. 10 Nov. Assignment by Ellis Pinsent, of Exeter, mercer.

Assigning to Wm. Hawkins, of London, the share which he has by assignment from Richard Cullen, and which has fallen in the co. Down. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Pinsent *before witnesses. Ibid.* 186.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Cullen, or Culling, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 187 *and* 188.

30 May. 20 Aug. 17 Nov. 1643. 12 Feb. Four of same, in all for £60, from same, by the hands of Ferdinando Nicolls, of Exeter. *On three pages. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *and p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 189–191.

1653. 12 Aug. Assignment by Nicolls and Culling.

Assigning their several shares, as above, to Ellis Pinsent, or Pincent, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, by the assignors. Endd. Ibid.* 192.

13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above receipts for money received through Nicolls and Culling are for sums which were really their property, and they may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 193.

10 Nov. Assignment by Thos. Downe, minister.

Assigning his lot, which has fallen in the co. Down, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as No.* 192. *Ibid.* 194.

Same. Same by Anthony Downe, minister.

Making assignment similar to foregoing. His lot has also fallen in co. Down. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as* 194, *by* Thos. Downe *by the order and appointment of his brother* Anthony. *Ibid.* 195.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 3 March. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £26 13*s.* 4*d.*, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Anthony Downe, as above. *On same page. P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 196.

Same dates. Same by same for similar sum paid by same through Thos. Downe. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 296, 197.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The two foregoing sets of receipts are for sums really the property of Thos. and Anthony Downe, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 198.

1654. 8 May. Assignment by Job Sedgwick, of London, brewer, eldest son of Stephen Sedgwick, deceased.

Assigning his father's share, which is allowed to him by the Committee of Claims, and which has fallen in the barony of Massereene, co. Antrim, to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, Middlesex, Kt. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾ *(large). Signed, &c., by* Sedgwick *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 199.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Francis West, John Terrell, or Tirrell, Stephen Sedgwick, and George Hughes, or Hewes. *Each p.* ¾, *one endd. Ibid.* 200 *and* 201.

13 July. One of same for £100, from John Strange, of London, merchant. *P.* ⅔, *underwritten with note* that this bill is due [from Strange] to his brother, John Terrell, and he has given Terrell a note of hand to pay it to him when he receives it. *The note underwritten* "John Strange to John Terrell, of Rotterdam." *Ibid.* 202.

1653. 10 Aug. Assignment by John Strange.
Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Terrell, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as* 199. *Ibid.* 203.

1 Aug. Certificate by Daniel Belt and Wm. Tibbs.
We well knew Francis West, late of London, deceased. He adventured £200 for Ireland, and left no will behind. John West, gentleman, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed. Ibid.* 204.

12 Aug. Same by John Terrell, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, and Francis Sedgwick, of Thames Street, London, brewer.
They well knew the late Stephen Sedgwick, of London, brewer. Job Sedgwick, of London, brewer, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 205.
Same by Wm. Tibbs.
The last will of Stephen Sedgwick, as above, dated 19 July, 1638, and proved 14 Dec., 1649, contains no gift or disposition of his £100 share in the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 206.

1642. 28 March. 21 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Robert Kerkham, or Keckham, of London, bowyer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 209.

1655.

5 April. Assignment by Robert Mead, or Meade, of London, merchant.

Assigning a share of £113 15*s.*, part of a share of £475 in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary, to Robert Hammon, of London, merchant. The £475 is part of £675 advanced by the assignor and Alexander Jones, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 210.

Same. Same.

Assigning £361 5*s.*, part of the share mentioned in foregoing, to Thomas Abdy, of Wetherfield, in Essex, gentleman, in consideration of 5*s.* paid and other things. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 211.

1642. 31 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £675, from Jones and Meade, as above [*see No.* 210]. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 212 *and* 213.

1653. 16 Aug. Walbrook. Alexander Jones to Robert Mead.

I left word with your mother and son I purposed to be in town this day, "which by God's good grace I am." I desire to speak to you, and will meet you at Mr. Belline's [?] shop, where I intend to call after the sermon is done in Cornhill, which will be about 12 o'clock. *P.* ⅓, *followed by*—

Same. Same to same.

I am disappointed that you are not in town to-day. Time presses, as Thursday is the last day to enter our notes. I pray you, if I come not then, enter my £200 in my name. Yet I purpose to be here, as I wish to speak with you. I pray you fail not. *P.* ⅓, *in all, p.* ⅔. *(Hol.) and endd. with note of the investment of* £675, *as above* [*No.* 211]. *Endd. upon No.* 213. *Ibid.* 213*a*.

1654. 7 Sep. Further assignment by Alexr. Jones, as above.

Assigning £200, part of the same share [*as in No.* 210] to Richard Hutchinson, citizen and ironmonger of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 214.

1653. 9 Aug. Certificate by Richard Hampden.

Of the £1,000 subscribed by his late father, John Hampden, of Hampden, in Bucks, £20 was the proper money of Richard Welch. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., by* Hampden *before witnesses. Ibid.* 215.

Same. Same.

Of the said £1,000 £20 was the property of William Lidall, deceased. John Lidall is the son and heir of the said Lidall. *P.* ½, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 216.

10 Aug. Same by Richard Welch and Robert Axten.

John Lydall is the son and heir of Wm. Lidall or Lydall, late of Hampden, deceased. *P.* ⅙. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 217.

1642. 19 April. 12 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Leggett, or Legate, of "Grigories" [St. Gregory's by St. Pauls?], of London, leatherseller. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 218 *and* 220.

1643. 15 July. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £8 6*s.* 8*d.* from same. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 219.

1653.

27 July. Certificate by John Kendrick and Samuel Avery.
Certifying the payment for which foregoing is receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 221.

23 July. Deposition of Robert Leaver or Lever, of Manchester, clothier.

He invested £200 in the Irish adventure. This sum has not been doubled at Gurney House or converted to any profitable use. *P.* ½. *Signed. Followed by—*
Certificate of Richard Haworth and Edward Holbrooke, being two Justices of the Peace for Lancashire, that this deposition was taken before them. *In all, p.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 222.

1642. 30 May. 20 Aug. 10 Nov. 1643. 30 Jan. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Lombard, of Chard, in Somerset. *In all, pp.* 2. *On three pages. Ibid.* 224–6.

1649. 22 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The above receipts are for monies really the property of Lombard, as above, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 223.

1654. 12 Dec. Assignment by Wm. Page, of London, apothecary.

Assigning his lot of Irish land, which is in the north-east quarter, No. 1, of the barony of Iffa and Offa, to John Dawson, of the Inner Temple, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 227.

1642. 19 April. 29 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Wm. Page, of London, apothecary. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 228–9.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The receipts for money advanced for the Irish adventure in their name by Anne, the wife of Ambrose Page, who was formerly Anne Jordan, or Jordaine, dated 28 May and 19 July, 1642, are for money really the property of Anne and Ambrose Page. Ambrose may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 230.

1642. 28 May. 19 July. Two receipts, as described in foregoing. *P.* 1, *on same page. Ibid.* 231.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipts dated 30 May and 18 July, 1642, for sums advanced in their name by Martin Parris, of Berry Pomeroy, are for money really the property of Parris, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 232.

30 May. 18 July. Two receipts, as referred to in foregoing, for £10. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 238.

1642.

29 March. 1 April. 18 June. 15 July.

Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Thos. Davy, or Davey, of Beckley, in Sussex. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 233–6.

Extract from the last will of Wm. Davy, late of Robert's bridge, in the parish of Saleherst [Salehurst] in Sussex.

By this will, dated 18 March, 165$\frac{3}{4}$, he bequeathed his adventure in Irish land to his sister Mary. This adventure was left him by the last will of Thomas Davy, late of Beckley, his father. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *followed by—*

Certificate by Richard Cornewall.

This will was proved at Westminster on 22 Sep., 1654, before the judges for probate of wills by the oath of Edward Davy, the executor. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *in all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 237.

Extract from the will of Thos. Davy.

By this will, dated 15 Dec., 1651, he bequeaths his share in Ireland to his son William, and makes him his sole executor. Will proved 3 Feb., 165$\frac{1}{2}$. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified by* Duling Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 239.

31 March. 30 April. 14 June. 8 and 18 July.

Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Silvester Dennis, of London, dyer. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 240–244.

30 May. 20 Aug. 10 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 30 Jan.

Four of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Thos. Deane, of "Chade," or Chard, in Somerset. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* 1, *on three pages, one endd. Ibid.* 246–8.

1649. 22 Nov.

Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are the property of Deane, who may dispose of them. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 245.

Undated. 1642. 30 May. 10 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 30 Jan.

Four of same by same, in all for £10, from same, by the hands of William Deane, of Chard, in Somerset. *On three pages, one endd. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *and p.* 1. *Ibid.* 250, 251 *and* 255.

164$\frac{9}{50}$. 16 Feb.

Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing belong to William Deane, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 249.

1642. 21 April. 14 July. 6 Oct. 27 Dec.

Four receipts by Sir Thos. Guybon, Kt., High Sheriff of Norfolk, in all for £200, from Thos. Russell, of North Basham, or Barsham, in that county, being his subscription in the Irish adventure. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *or p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ *and underwritten with date on which the several sums were paid in* [by the Sheriff of Norfolk to the Commissioners in

1642.

London [?]. One investment of £50 was paid in by Mr. Scottawe with sums paid by Sir John Hobart, Tobias Frere and Thos. Russell. *S.P. Ireland* 296, *Nos.* 252, 254, 256 *and* 257.

1649. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

30 July. Wm. Richardson, of London, merchant, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure in April and July, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Ibid.* 253.

1653. Deposition by Wm. Richardson, as above.

13 Aug. Similar in effect to foregoing. The receipts for the sum are mislaid and have not been doubled at Gurney House or converted to profitable uses. Deponent guarantees the State against all claims by others in respect of them. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Richardson *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 258.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the

18 July. King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Wilding, or John Wildinge, "of London, goldsmith." *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 260.

1643. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same,

10 Oct. "of St. Olave's, Southwark, goldsmith." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 259.

1653. Deposition by John Fissenden.

16 Aug. He was present at the sealing and delivery of one assignment, dated 16 Aug., 1653, and the name of Robert Wilding, in his hand, was at the lower end thereof. *P.* ¼. *Witnessed by* Wm. Lovell, Mayor.[1] *Ibid.* 261.

Same. Assignment by Robert Wilding.

Assigning his interest in the share of £62 10*s.* taken by John Wilding, deceased, to Susanna Reading, late wife and relict of John Wilding, as aforesaid. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 262.

9 Aug. Deposition by James Reading, of London, goldsmith.

John Wilding invested £50 in the Irish adventure. A receipt for £12 10*s.*, part of this, has been lost but has not been doubled. Deponent guarantees the State against all claims in respect of it. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Reading *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 263.

1652. Bond by James Reading, as above.

18 Aug. Similar in effect to the indemnity given in foregoing, and given to "the Keepers of the Liberties of England.". *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 264.

1642. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £12, from the

31 May. Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Edward Oland, of Col-

17 Aug. umpton [Cullompton], gunner. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 265.

11 Nov.

164⅔.

2 Feb.

(1) William Lovell was Mayor of Hastings in 165¾.

1653.

13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sums advanced by Oland in their name, and by Robert Bendle, of Collumpton [Cullompton], in Devon, are really the property of Oland and Bendle respectively, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 267.

165⅘. Assignment by Edward Oland.

8 March. Assigning his share, as aforesaid, to Giles Sumpter, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed with* Oland's *mark. Endd. Ibid.* 266.

1642. 5 and 20 April. 16 June. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Jeremiah Hieron, Heron, or Hearne, of Hunsdon, Herts., clerk. *Each p.* ⅔, *and endd. Ibid.* 268–271.

30 May. 20 Aug. 12 Nov. 164⅔. 28 Jan. Four of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Wm. Atkins, of Chard, in Somerset, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 272, 273, 274 *and* 274*a.*

1649. 22 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums properly belonging to Atkins, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 275.

1653. 18 Aug. Deposition by John Scarborough and John Lear.

Wm. Webster and Thos. Mathews, of London, merchants, subscribed £300 for the Irish adventure in 1642. Thomas Mathews is since deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Scarborough *and* Lear *and certified and dated by* Thomas Foot. *Endd. Ibid.* 276.

1646. 20 Nov. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes and John Warner.

Certifying the payment mentioned in foregoing. The receipts originally given therefor have been burnt "by casualty of fire." *P.* ⅓. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 297.

1653. 17 Aug. Deposition by John King, late of Harlow, in Essex, gentleman.

John Gardner, of Maunden [Maldon?], in Essex, adventured £50 for land in Ireland in April and July, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed by* King *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 278.

1642. 14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from John Gardner, of Maunden, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 279.

1650. 29 June. Power of Attorney by John Lake, "now resident in the Isle of Barbadoes."

He appoints Thomas Mathew, of Barnstaple, in Devon, merchant, to deal with any Commissioners appointed for allotting land in

1650.

Ireland in the matter of his investment. Ratification clause. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 280.

Note on the last will of James Houblon, of St. Olave's, Southwark,

By this will, dated 11 April and proved 30 July, 1644, he made his wife, Cathrine, residuary legatee and sole executrix. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 281.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Cathrine Hoblin [Houblon?], late of St. Olave's, Southwark, by her last will, dated July, 1644, and proved 3 Aug., 1644, made over all the residue of her estate to her brothers, Thomas and William Moore, to be equally divided between them. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 282.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

28 July. Elizabeth Tufnaile, formerly of Southwark, widow, paid in £25 for the Irish adventure in March, 1642, and had no receipt therefor. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Ibid.* 283.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Mrs. Tufnaile, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 284.

29 March. 18 July. Two of same by same, in all for £50, from James Houbelon, or Houbleon, of London, dyer. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 285 *and* 286.

1653. 14 July. Assignment by Geo. Thompson, of Lee in Kent, Esq., and Elizabeth, his wife, executrix to Cathrine Houblon (who was widow and executrix of James Houblon, of London, dyer, deceased).

They assign to Thos. Moore, of London, linen-draper, the share of £100 paid in by Mrs. Tufnell [or Tufnaile], of Southwark, widow, and that of £50 paid in by James Houblon. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by the assignors. Add.*: "For Mr. Thos. Moore." *Endd. Ibid.* 287.

1642. 6 May. — July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Thos. Mathew, of Barnstaple, in Devon, merchant. *On same page. P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 288.

31 May. 19 July. Two of same by same for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Mathew, as above. *P.* ⅔, *on same page. Ibid.* 290.

1653. 23 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipts for £50 above are for sums properly the money of Mathew, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 289.

Extract from the Will of Joan Mathew, of [St.] Dunstan in the East parish, London, widow.

By this will, dated 25 March and proved 29 Aug., 1653, she bequeathed her interest in the Irish adventure to her son James. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 291.

1642.

4 April. 21 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Joan Mathew, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 292, 293 *and* 295.

1653. Certificate by Nicholas Blake.

16 Aug. Joan Mathew, of London, widow, by her last will bequeathed her whole interest in the Irish adventure to her son James Mathew, "living in New England." *P.* $\frac{2}{5}$. (*Hol.*) *Endd. Ibid.* 294.

165$\frac{0}{1}$. Assignment by Joan Mathew.

18 March. Assigning her share of £100 in the Irish adventure to her son James, "of Yarmouth, in New England, in the parts beyond the seas." Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 296.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Richard Mallack, of Axminster, in Devon. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *followed by*—

1653. Assignment by Richard Mallack.

10 Aug. Assigning his interest, under the foregoing, to his brother John, of Taunton. *P.* $\frac{1}{6}$. *Signed and witnessed*; *in all, p.* $\frac{4}{5}$. *Ibid.* 297.

1653. Assignment by John Mallack, of Taunton, merchant.

17 Nov. Assigning his share, as in foregoing, to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martins-in-the-Fields. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 298.

1642. 16 April. 15 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from "Christopher" Merick, or Merik, of London, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 299–301.

1653. Deposition by "John" Merick, of London, gentleman.

11 Aug. He invested £100 in the Irish adventure. The receipts therefor, which are missing, have not been doubled or converted. He guarantees the State against future claims in respect of them. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Merick *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 302.

1654. 8 May. Deposition of Ellen Mathews, of the parish of "Anne and Agnes within Aldersgate," London, "wife of Thomas Mathews, gent.," aged about 60.

Thos. Mosyer, citizen and weaver of London, died intestate, and left no will in writing to this deponent's knowledge. Mary, wife of John Fisher, of London, gentleman, is the sole and natural sister and heir of the said Mosyer: Mosyer having no living issue of his body. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed with* Ellen Mathew's *mark and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 303.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from John Mosyer, or Mosear. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 304.

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9 Aug. Deposition by Ellen Mathews, "of London, widow."

Thos. Mosyer is the only brother now living of John Mosyer, who held the foregoing share, John being deceased and having left no issue. The said John did not bequeath or assign this share. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed as No.* 303 *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 305.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of John Mosyer, dated 31 Aug., and proved 3 Sept., 1645, contains no demise of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 306.

1642. 30 May. 20 Aug. 10 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 30 Jan. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Arthur Munday, or Monday, of Chard, in Somerset. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*two on one page*). *Ibid.* 307–9.

1649. 22 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums really the property of Munday, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{4}{5}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 310.

1642. 28 March. 15 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from James Bengoe, of Coleman Street, London, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 311 *and* 313.

One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £6 5*s.* 0*d.*, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 312.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 20 Feb. Assignment by Bengoe.

Assigning £31 5*s.*, the share allowed him in the Irish adventure, and fallen in the barony of Connello, to Thomas Latimer, citizen and butcher of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 314.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of the late Wm. Tilsley, late of St. Anne's, Blackfriars, London, contains no disposal of his share in the Irish adventure. It contains bequests to his children William, Thomas and Johanna, and makes his wife residuary legatee and executrix. Will dated 22 Oct., and proved 3 Nov., 1648. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 315.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Tilsley, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 316 *and* 317.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Robert Trelawny, of Plymouth, Esq., dated 24 Aug., 1643, and proved, with a codicil annexed, 19 Nov., 1644,

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bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to his son Robert and his heirs. Testator had invested together with his brother John and with John Winspeare. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 318.

9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £675, from the worshipful Robert Trelawny, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 319 *and* 320.

24 March. 30 April. 19 July. 1643. 3 Aug. Five of same, in all for £650, from Michael Herring, of London, haberdasher. *Each about p.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 321–325.

1642. 13 July. One of same for £150, from John Bigg, or Bigge, of Maidstone, in Kent. *Ibid.* 326.

1647. 20 Dec. One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from Samuel Ball, of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 327.

1642. 14 July. Declaration by John Bigg, as above.

One third part of his adventure of £150 is properly the money of Samuel Ball, citizen and salter of London. He covenants to make over to Ball the land due in respect of this third part whenever lands shall be allotted on the adventure. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 328.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of John Bigg makes no disposal of his share in the Irish adventure and it does not appear that Bigg had issue living at the time of his decease. The will, dated 27 March, 1641, makes Andrew Broughton, gent., sole executor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, and underwritten with note by* Broughton, dated 16 Aug., 1653, certifying that Bigg had no issue living at the time of his decease and had no brother or sister who is now living. *In all, p.* 1. *The note signed and witnessed. Ibid.* 329.

2 April. 14 June. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from Sir Nathaniel Barnardiston, Kt., M.P. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 330 *and* 331.

Extract from the Will of [Sir] Nathaniel Barnardiston, of Ketton, in Suffolk.

By this will, dated 10 Sep., 1651, he gave £600 of his adventure of £700 in Ireland to his son Arthur. He is to pay £200 thereof within a year of coming into possession of it to testator's other sons, Pelatiah [?] and William. Testator advises Arthur not to sell; but if he does so, testator's son Samuel shall have the first refusal of it. If Arthur die before he come into possession, then Samuel to take the land. *Other details. P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 332.

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Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of John Panter, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, dated 27 Nov., 1647, and proved 2 Feb., 164$\frac{8}{9}$, in London, bequeathed all his goods, &c., to his wife Dorothy, and made her sole executrix. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 333.

1653. 30 Aug. Oath by Wm. Panter, of Shoreditch, glover.

He knew John Panter, as aforesaid, deceased. John left no issue, brother or sister. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed with* Panter's *mark and dated and certified by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 334.

1642. 28 March. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John Panter, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 335–6.

5 April. One of same for £600 from John Dethick, of London, mercer, Capt. Robert Tichbourne, of London, skinner, and Joseph Parker, of London, skinner. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with notes on back*—(1) as to payment of a percentage rebated on this sum; (2) that £100 of the £600 properly belonged to Henry Burton, and was in consequence allowed, on 13 Aug., 1653, to Henry Burton, his son and heir. *Endd. Ibid.* 337.

1653. 18 Aug. Certificate by John Dethick.

Elizabeth Parker is the reputed sole daughter and heir of Joseph Parker, citizen and skinner, of London, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed. Followed by*—

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Parker, "of St. Pancras, Soper Lane, London," contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. The will was proved 20 May, 1643. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Tibbs; *in all, p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 338.

1642. 11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £45, from Mrs. Elizabeth Dingley. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 340.

16 April. Same by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey for £50, from same. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed. Ibid.* 339.

9 May. 19 July. Two of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £200, from Richard Sweete, of Exeter, merchant. *On same page. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 341.

1655. Assignment by Blunt Sadleir, of London, merchant.

3 April. Assigning a share of £400, which is allowed upon the investment of Sir Thomas Peyton, of Knolton, in Kent, Bt., made in the name of Sir John Honywood, Kt., sheriff of the said county, and which has fallen in the barony of Navan, to William Cadogan, of Dublin, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 342.

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20 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £400 paid in by Benony Honywood, brother of Sir John Honywood, Kt. The money is part of the subscription of Sir Thomas Peyton, or Payton, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 296, 343.

1651. 30 March. Indenture of agreement between Sir Thos. Peyton and Captain Blunt Sadleir, as above.

Peyton assigns his share of £400 in the Irish adventure to Sadleir. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by* Peyton *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 344.

1643. 30 May. 19 Aug. 11 Nov. 164⅔. 4 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Thomas Sheeres, or Sheers, of Cullompton, in Devon. *On* 3 *pages. P.* ½, *p.* ½ *and p.* ¾, *two endd. Ibid.* 345, 346 *and* 348.

165⅔. 10 Feb. Assignment by Sheeres.

Assigning the foregoing to Giles Sumpter, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 347.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums the property of Sheeres, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 349.

15 Aug. Indenture of agreement between Josias Berners, of Clerkenwell, and Abigail his wife, of the one part, and John Stephens, of Lypiat, in Gloucestershire, and Hester his wife, of the other.

Josias and Abigail assign to John and Hester all their share in the Irish adventure due for any sums lent for reducing the rebels in Ireland by James Barnes, "of the Middle Temple," gentleman. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., by* Josias and Abigail Berners. *Ibid.* 350.

Certificate by Tibbs.

James Barnes, "of the Inner Temple," as above, by his last will, dated 25 June and proved 22 Dec., 1642, bequeathed *inter alia* his share in the Irish adventure to his sisters, Abigail and Hester Barnes. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 351.

1642. 4 April. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Barnes, as above. The first £100 thereof was advanced as part of the £2,000 underwritten in the House of Commons by Sir Gilbert Gerrard, Bart. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 352–355.

1654. 30 June. Assignment by Thos. Goodyeare, of London, merchant.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Francis Bigg, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *Pp.* 1⅓. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 356.

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12 July. Assignment by John and Hester Stephens, and Josias and Abigale Berners.

They hold £400 in the Irish adventure, being the share of James Barnes, as above. Barnes certified that £100 of this belonged properly to Thomas Goodyear, of London, merchant. They assign over this share of their lot to Goodyear accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., by all the assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 357.

Same. Same by same.

£100 of the share which they have was paid in through Barnes by "Carueharvy Milema," of Markes in Essex. They assign £100 out of their share to Milema [Mildmay] accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 359.

1642. Certificate by Barnes.

19 Aug. £100 of this venture of £400 was received of Carew Hary [Harvy] Mildmay, of Marx [Markes], in Essex, and £100 from Goodyear, as above. He promises to give them shares in the allotted land accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., as above. Ibid.* 358.

1654. Assignment by Francis Bigg, of London, merchant.

22 Sep. Assigning his share [*see above, No.* 356] to Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 360.

Same. Same by Carew Hervy, or Harvey, *alias* Mildmay.

Assigning his share [*see above, No.* 359] to Erasmus Smith. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 361.

1642. 4 April. 28 June. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Nicholas Brinley, or Brenley, of Exeter in Devon, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 362–364.

28 May. 19 July. Two of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £62, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by hands of same. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 365.

1649. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

21 July. The foregoing are for sums really the property of Brinley, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 367.

1653. Assignment by Brinley, as above.

13 Aug. Assigning his interest in the foregoing receipts to John Gould, of Clapham, in Surrey, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 366.

1642. 9 and 28 March. 14 and 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Henry Godsden, or Gosden, of Dorking, in Surrey, mercer. *Each p.* ½, *or p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 368–371.

30 May. 19 Aug. 11 Nov. 164⅔. 4 Feb. Four of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Wm. Gooding, or Gooden, of Cullompton, in Devon. *Each p.* ⅔ *or p.* ½, *on three pages. Ibid.* 372-374.

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13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing are for sums really the property of Gooding, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 296, 375.

$165\frac{4}{5}$. Assignment by Wm. Gooding, or Goodhind, as above, clothier.
8 March. Assigning his share, as above, to Giles Sumpter, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed,* "Wm. Goodhind," *&c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 377.

1642. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the
30 May. Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Christopher Grey, or
15 July. Gray, of Honiton, in Devon. *Pp.* 2, *one endd. Ibid.* 376 *and* 378.

1653. Assignment by Alexander Bence.
13 Aug.
He is survivor to Squire Bence, with whom he invested £600 and £125 in the Irish adventure. He assigns £125, part of these shares, to Thos. Gower, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c. Endd. Ibid.* 379.

Certificate by Tibbs.
The last will of Squire Bence, of Aldburgh, in Suffolk, dated 31 Mar., 1648, and proved 23 Feb., $164\frac{8}{9}$, contained no disposal of his Irish adventure. He gave the remainder of his goods, &c., to his brother, Alexander Bence. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, and followed by—*

Certificate by Alexander Bence that Squire Bence had no issue living at the time of his decease. *P.* $\frac{1}{10}$. *Signed; in all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 380.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the
16 April. King and Parliament for £150, from Alexander Bence, M.P. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 383.

19 July. Same for £450, from Alexander Bence, M.P., and Squire Bence, M.P. *Ibid.* 382.

1647. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £150, from Alexander
18 Dec. and Squire Bence. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 381.

1653. Assignment by Thos. Gower.
18 Aug. Assigning the share of £250 [*i.e.*, £125 doubled?] in Irish land which he holds by assignment from Alexander Bence to Edward Smith, citizen and sadler of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 384.

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18 Aug. Assignment by Sir Nicholas Crispe, of London.

Assigning £548 15*s.* 3*d.*, part of his share of £1,700 in the Irish adventure, to John Wood, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 297, 1.

1642. 30 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,700, from Crispe, as above. *P.* 1. *Endd. with notes by* Crispe and others on the dealings with his investment, and that £700 thereof is the property of Wm. Strode of Burrington, in Somerset. *Ibid.* 2.

1654. 2 Nov. Certificate by Sir William Hickes, Kt. and Bt.

He has not paid in any money for purchasing land in Ireland under the name of Sir Nicholas Crispe and has no claim through him. *P.* 1. *Signed before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 3.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £900, from Crispe, £500 thereof being part of a subscription of £2,000. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 4 *and* 6.

30 April. One of same for £850 from Samuel Crispe. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 7.

1653. 18 Aug. Certificate by [Sir] Nicholas Crispe.

Samuel Crispe, late of London, salter, died without issue, and Samuel Crispe, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Crispe and Wm. Tibbs. *Ibid.* 5.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Christopher Parr, of the same, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 9–12.

1653. 22 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums really the property of Parr, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 8.

165$\frac{6}{7}$. 10 Feb. Assignment by John Yong, Younge, or Yonge, of Colbrook [Colebrook], in Devon, gent.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to his brother, Thos. Young, of Darinth, in Kent. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 13.

1643. 16 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from John Yong, of "Colebrook," Devonshire. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 14.

20 July. Same for £25 from Thomas Yonge, of Blackwell Hall, London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 15.

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10 April. 15 and 18 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Younge, of London, merchant. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 16–18.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 20 Jan. Assignment by John Lerder, or Larder, citizen and merchant-tailor of London.

Assigning a share of £15 in the Irish adventure, which he holds by assignment from Thomas Coffin, of London, merchant-tailor, and which has fallen in Co. Tipperary, to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 19.

1643. 11 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £15, from Coffin, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 20.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 16 Jan. Assignment by Coffin to Larder, as mentioned in *No.* 19. *P.* 1, *&c., as No.* 19. *Ibid.* 21.

1654. 26 Dec. Same by Gideon Delawne, of Blackfriars, Esq.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to his nephew, Henry Delawne, of Courteen Roe [Gurteen Roe], Co. Cork. The lot for it has been drawn in the barony of Carrickfergus, Co. Antrim. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 22.

1643. 9 Aug. 7 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £50, from Delawne, as above, "citizen and apothecary." *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 23 *and* 24.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

John Pollen, of the parish of St. Ethelborrowe [St. Ethelburga], in the Ward of Bishopgate, citizen and whitebaker, of London, by his last will dated 8 May, 1643, devised any land which should be set out for him in respect of his Irish adventure, to his children in equal parts, his wife taking the thirds thereof for her life, "according to the custom of England." *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed. Ibid.* 25.

1642. 29 March. 12 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from John Rayment and John Pollin, or Pollen, of London, whitebakers. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 26 *and* 27.

1649. 6 Nov. Declaration by John Rayment and Nathaniel and Alice Wright.

£300 of the £600 advanced by them belong to Alice, lately widow and executrix of John Pollen, and now wife of Nathaniel Wright, of Dagnam, in Essex; and £300 thereof to Rayment. Each of the parties hereto acknowledges the right of the other to half of the sum accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., by the parties before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 28.

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1 Aug. Deposition by Thomas Valentine, of Giles Chalfont, in Bucks., minister.

He advanced £100 for the Irish adventure in 1642. A receipt for £25, part thereof, is missing, but has not been doubled or converted to profitable use. *P.* ⅔. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aldridge. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 29.

1642. 2 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £75, from Thomas Valentine, as above. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 30 *and* 31.

1646. 15 Oct. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

The receipts given to Dennis Bond, Esq., of Dorchester, M.P., for £2,000 paid in in May and July, 1642, are certified as missing. He certifies these sums to have been paid. *P.* ⅔. *Signed. Ibid.* 32.

1653. 18 Aug. Assignment by Dennis Bond.

He assigns the sum mentioned in foregoing to Richard Burry, of Dorchester, Esq. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 33.

13 Aug. Certificate by George Cole, Mayor of Dorchester.

On this day John Whiteway, of Dorchester, came before me and deposed on oath that Dennis Bond, shortly after subscribing £2,000 for the Irish adventure at the request and in trust for various well-affected people in the County of Dorset, conveyed his trust by deed to Richard Bury [or Burry] and to the deponent, two of the adventurers in this sum, for the use of themselves and the rest of the adventurers. Of these William Benn, of Dorchester, alone has doubled or transferred his share, he having doubled his £100 upon Dean and chapter lands. The names of the adventurers are as follows:—

List follows of sums subscribed by :—

Richard Burie [Burry or Bury].	George Cole.
Wm. Benn.	John Kennicott.
Gabriel Reve.	John Shanke.
William White.	John Bragg.
John Seward and Wm. Patie.	Christopher Gould and Roger Rockevel.
John Whiteway.	Laurence Righton.
John Bushrod.	Joseph Whittle.
Gilbert Loder.	Thomas Clench.
Mrs. Jane Stoughton.	Peter De la Nova.
William Derbie.	John Daniel.
Josias Terry.	Arthur Gould.
Edward Pele.	John Forward.
Philip Stansby.	Henry Baylie.
Mrs. Jane Trayte.	Richard Burt.
Thos. Poole.	Prowse (two adventures).
Henry Russel.	Robert Nichols.
Josias White.	John Hobbs.

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Henry Maber.	Thomas Byles.
Hugh Thompson.	Peter King.
Arthur Hackham.	Mathew Towgood.
Tristram Hackham.	John Hodges.
Robert Tutchen.	Philip Byles.
Richard Skovil.	Stephen Blandford.
George Dawe.	John Chaldecott.
John Allambrick.	

The total sum is £2,000. *P.* 1. *Signed and sealed by the* Mayor. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 34.

1647. 29 July. Conveyance by Dennis Bond, as above, to John Whiteway, Mayor of Dorchester, and Richard Bury, of the same, grocer. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 35.

1653. 11 Oct. Deposition by Nathan Wilson, of London, clothier, *æt.* about 24.

He well knew Richard Wroe, late of Heaton, in Lancaster, clothier. James Wroe, of Heaton, aforesaid, now living, is his only reputed brother and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Wilson *and certified and dated by* Thos. Foot. *Endd. Ibid.* 36.

1654. 20 Sep. Assignment by James Wroe, as above, "yeoman."

A share of £50 in the Irish adventure has been allowed him as heir to Richard Wroe, by the Committee, out of £400 adventured by Ralph Ashton, or Asheton, late of Midleton, in Lancashire, yeoman. He assigns this share, which has fallen by lot in the barony of Connello, co. Limerick, to Henry Ashurst, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 37.

5 Dec. Same by Wm. Ashton, rector of the parish church of Midleton, in Lancashire.

Assigning 118 acres 30 poles English of lands, woods, buildings, &c., in the barony of Connello, co. Limerick, which have been certified by the Committee of Claims to be due to him as assignee of Ralph Ashton, to Henry Ashurst, as above, for £25 16*s.* 2*d.* paid him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 38.

18 Sep. Same by Ralph Ashton, of Midleton, son of Ralph Ashton, aforesaid.

Assigning a share of £50, which has been allowed him by the Committee of Claims in respect of his father's adventure of £400, to Henry Ashurst, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 39.

1 Dec. Same by Peter Seddon, of Pilkington, in Lancashire, yeoman.

Assigning a share of £50, similar to the foregoing, to Ashurst, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., as above. Endd. Ibid.* 40.

1655. 17 May. Same by Roger Holt, son and heir of Peter Holt, deceased.

Assigning a share of £50, similar to foregoing, to Giles Harding, citizen and baker of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *as above. Ibid.* 41.

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29 April. Receipt by John Girlington, Esq., High Sheriff of Lancaster, for £100, from [Colonel] Ralph Ashton, of Middleton, M.P. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 42.

18 July. Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300, from same. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 43.

1653. Deposition by Peter Seddon, as above [*No.* 40].

15 Aug. The last will of Col. Asheton contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Seddon *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 44.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Richard Wroe, dated 27 July, 1644, and proved 18 Dec., 1647, contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. He made his brother residuary legatee and sole executor and makes no mention of children. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 45.

9 Aug. Declaration by Ralph Asheton, the younger, as above [*No.* 39].

Of the £400 adventured by his father, Henry Wrigley, of Chamber, in Lancashire, advanced £100 the Rev. William Asheton [as above, *No.* 38], £50, Peter Holt, late of Bridge Hall, in Lancashire, deceased, £50, Peter Seddon, as above [*No.* 40], £50, Adam Gaskell, of Heaton Faughfield [Fallowfield], in Lancashire, linen draper, £50, and Richard Wroe, of Heaton, in the same, £50. These persons shall enjoy the lands due in respect of their several subscriptions, and Asheton, so far as he can legally do so, empowers them to receive and take them, and assigns their shares to them. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

1655. 28 May. Indenture of agreement between Henry Ashurst, citizen and merchant tailor of London, and Giles Harding, citizen and baker of same.

Recites the allowances made by the Committee of Claims to Richard Wroe, Peter Seddon, the Rev. William Asheton, Ralph Asheton, *jun.*, and Henry Ashurst. All these sums have in turn been assigned to Henry Ashurst, and lots for them have been drawn in the barony of Connello. For £200 Ashurst assigns these to Harding. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Ashurst *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 47.

1642. 28 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £80, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Bernard, or Barnard Bartlett, of the same, merchant. *P.* 1, *p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *on three pages. Ibid.* 49, 50 *and* 51.

1653. Certificate and assignment by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

16 Aug. The foregoing are for sums the property of Bartlett, who may dispose of them. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 52.

10 Nov. Assignment by Bartlett, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, to William Hawkins, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed. Ibid.* 48.

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4 April. 28 June. 18 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Lawrence Brinley, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½, *two endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 53 *and* 55–57.

19 July. One of same by same for £50, from Sarah Brinley, wife of the foregoing. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 54.

30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Humphry Cogan, of Tiverton, merchant. *P.* ⅓ *and p* ½, *both endd. Ibid.* 59 *and* 60.

1653. 16 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing are for sums really the property of Cogan. Assignment accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

1654. 23 Aug. Assignment by Cogan.
Assigning the above receipts, for which land has been drawn in the barony of Pubblebrien, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 58.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. Four receipts by the Sheriff, &c., of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Robert Clark, or Clarke, of the same, fuller. *Each p.* ½ *and p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 63–66.

1653. 26 July. 1652. 20 April. Two certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The receipts above, for £50, are for sums properly the money of the late Robert Clark, whose executors may dispose of them accordingly. *Each p.* ⅔, *the later with seal of the eity, both endd. Ibid.* 68 *and* 69.

1653. 6 Aug. Certificate by Henry Milles[?], notary public.
The probate of the last will of Robert Clark, as aforesaid, was this day produced before him. The will bears date 29 July, 1644. It gives bequests to his children, Mary, Elizabeth, Joseph and Sarah, and to his son-in-law, Nicholas Warde, and makes his wife residuary legatee and sole executrix. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Milles. *Ibid.* 67.

17 Aug. Certificate by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.
On this day Elizabeth, widow and executrix of Robert Clark, deceased, and Joseph their son, came before the Mayor. They swear that Joseph Clark is Robert's only son and heir, and that the father assigned to the son all interest in his adventure in Irish land. Joseph, and Elizabeth as his guardian, appoint Francis Clark, of London, merchant, to draw their lot for this interest. *P.* ¾. *Signed by the* Mayor of Exeter and Elizabeth and Joseph Clark *and certified by* Henry Milles [*see foregoing*]. *Endd. Ibid.* 62.

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15 Aug. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Steven Estwick, Alderman of London, Esq., paid in £100 on an adventure of £200 for Ireland in April and July, 1642. The receipts therefor are missing. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 71.

13 Aug. Same by Tibbs.

Estwick, as above, girdler, and now one of the Sheriffs of London, paid in £50 for Irish land in April, 1646, and subscribed for £50 in Jan., 164⅞, as part of Thomas Player's adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs *and countersigned by* Samuel Avery. *Ibid.* 70.

1654. Assignment by Richard Ford, of London, merchant.

15 Nov. Assigning a share of £100, which has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, Co. Tipperary, to Francis Finch, of London, clothworker. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 72.

1653. Deposition of Ford, as above.

13 Aug. In 1642 he adventured £100 for land in Ireland in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, and paid the sum in to Walter White, Sheriff of Exeter, before 19 July, 1642. He had two receipts which he has lost, but has not doubled these sums at Drury or Gurney House, or assigned, transferred them, or made profit of them, to the prejudice of the Commonwealth. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Ford *and certified and dated by* Thos. Atkin, Alderman. *Ibid.* 73.

16 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The subscription mentioned in the foregoing was made in their name, but the money really belonged to Ford. He may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* ½, *with mark of the city seal. Endd. Ibid.* 74.

Deposition by Wm. Moye, of London, merchant, aged about 38 years.

Sir John Farewell, late of Hogsdon [Hoxton?] is dead, and Charles Farewell, of Lincoln's Inn, is his true and lawful heir. *P.* ⅕. *Signed by* Moye *and certified by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 75.

Further depositions of same.

(1) Sir John Farewell, or Farwell, duly paid in the money which he invested in the Irish adventure. The receipts are missing and have not been doubled or converted.

(2) He guarantees the State against future claims in respect of these receipts. *In all, p.* ¾, *both signed* (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 76.

165⅘. Assignment by Sir John Glanvill, of Broad Hinton, in Wilts., Kt., Sergeant-at-law.

31 Jan. Assigning a share which has been allowed to him by the Committee of Claims, which has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, to John Dawson, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 77.

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13 Aug. Deposition by Sir John Glanvill, Serjeant-at-law.
The acquittances which he had testifying that his son paid in £600 for land in Ireland are mislaid. They have not been doubled or converted to the prejudice of the State. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Glanvill *and certified and dated by* Wm. Sadler, of Elcombe, a J.P. for Wiltshire. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 78.

15 July. Similar deposition by same. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by* Glanvill *and certified and dated by* Thos. Bennett. *Endd. Ibid.* 79.

1642. 18 April. 21 May. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £600, from Wm. Glanvill, Esq., M.P. [*see last but one*]. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 80.

1653. 14 July. Certificate by Wm. Glanvill, M.P.
In subscribing £600 for the Irish adventure his name was only used in trust for that of his father, Sir John. He assigns the share which stands in his name to his father accordingly. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 81.

1642. 28 May. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Francis Lipincott, or Lipingcott. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 83.

1653. 16 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing, and another receipt of £50 which is mislaid, are for money really the property of Lippingcot, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city, Endd. Ibid.* 84.

23 Aug. Deposition of Lippingcott before the Mayor and Justices of the City of Exeter.
A receipt for £50, which he adventured in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, for Ireland, has been lost. He guarantees the State against future claims in respect of it, "in an assumption of £100." *P.* 1. *Certified and dated by* R. Herman, Mayor, and Richard Saunders [Alderman ?], and Ge.[?] Clark, justices. *Ibid.* 82.

1654. 20 June. Assignment by Alice Sweete, of Exeter.
Assigning to Richard Sweete, of Exeter, merchant, her share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 85.

1642. 17 Aug. 6 Dec. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter for the £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Alice Sweete. *Each p.* 1. *Ibid.* 86 *and* 87.

1653. 19 July. Engagement by Nathaniel Manton.
He promises to bring within one month a "city seal" from Exeter for two bills of receipt of £25 each in the name of Alice Sweete, of Exeter, widow, which was entered in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 88.

1654. 4 July. Certificate of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The £50 mentioned above [*Nos.* 86 *and* 87], was properly the money of Alice Sweete, who may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 89.

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19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150 from Samuel Turner, of London, merchant tailor. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 90.

1653. 18 Aug. Deposition of Maurice Gethin, or Gething, of London, merchant tailor.

The receipts for £200 advanced by Turner [*see foregoing*] have been mislaid, but have not been doubled or converted to the prejudice of the State. Deponent guarantees the State "in an assumpsit of £400" against future claims in respect of them. *P.* ¾. *Signed* "Maurice Gethin," *and certified and dated by* Thos. Foote. *Endd. Ibid.* 91.

19 Aug. Assignment by John Bird, wool-comber, of St. Olave's Parish, Southwark.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John Schuill, dyer. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 92.

1642. 12 and 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from "John Bird, of Southreke [Southwark], wool-comber." *Each endd. with* assignment, dated 12 May, 1650, by Bird to Schuill, as in foregoing. *In all, pp.* 1½ *and* 1¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 93 *and* 94.

1653. 19 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Bird, as above, adventured £10 for Ireland, with other inhabitants of Southwark, on 28 March, 1642, and paid in £2 10*s.* *P.* ½. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Edmond Austin, of Bermondsey Street, in the parish of St. Olave, Southwark, feltmaker, dated 30 Aug., 1645, and proved 25 June, 1646, bequeathed all the residue of his estate, goods, &c., to his wife, Hannah. *P.* ⅔. *Signed. Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1653. 18 Aug. Deposition by Maurice Gethin [*as above, No.* 91].

The receipts given to Edmond Austin, as above, for his share in the Irish adventure have been lost, but have not been converted or assigned. Deponent guarantees the State in £200 against future claims in respect of them. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Gethin *and dated and certified by* Thos. Foot. *Ibid.* 97.

1642. 19 April. 18 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,250, from Wm. Hawkins, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 98–100.

1646. 24 April. One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £312 10*s.*, from same, "of London, citizen and merchant-tailor." *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 101.

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2 May. Certificate by Henry Hickman and Richard Hill.

£450 was paid in for the Irish adventure by them as well as the £150 [*see following*] which they have assigned to Robert Hayes. The sums were paid in at once in order that the payers might have their land in Irish measure according to the proposition of Parliament. *P.* ¼. *Signed by* Hill and Hickman. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 102.

1642. 4 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Hickman, Hill and Hayes, merchants, of London. This is one-fourth of their whole joint subscription. *P.* ½. *Endd. with note* that Wm. Hawkins is the assignee of Robert Hill and of Mr. Hayes, *jun.*, who is the assignee of Henry Hickman, Richard Hill and Robert Hayes, *sen. Ibid.* 103.

16 April. 12 July. Two of same, in all for £700, from Anthony Bedingfield, of London, mercer, M.P., and Wm. Cage, of Ipswich, in Suffolk, M.P. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 104 *and* 105.

1653. 2 July. Assignment by Thos. Bedingfield and Robert Lowther.

As executors of Anthony Bedingfield, deceased, they assign his share of £400, part of £700 advanced for lands in Ireland, to Wm. Hawkins, of London, merchant. *P.* ⅓. *Signed, &c. Endd. Ibid.* 106.

165½. 24 March. Assignment by Henry Hickman, salter, Richard Hill, merchant, and Robert Hayes, *sen.*, fruiterer.

Assigning £150 out of their adventure of £600 [*see above, No.* 102], to Robert Hayes, *jun.*, of London, gentleman. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by the parties, and endorsed with* assignment (dated — June, 1653) by Hayes of this share to Wm. Hawkins, of London, merchant. *Also endd. generally. Ibid.* 107.

1653. 22 Aug. Deposition of Thomas Burrow, yeoman of Belsted, in Suffolk, aged about 28 years.

Thomas Blosse, Esq., of Burstall, in Suffolk, is the eldest son and heir of Mary Blosse, deceased, late wife of Thomas Blosse, late of Belsted, Esq., also deceased. She was the only daughter of Wm. Cage, late of Ipswich, deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Burrow *and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd with*—

20 Aug. Certificate by William Tibbs.

The last will of William Cage, late of Ipswich, in Suffolk, dated 15 Sep., 1645, made no disposal of his share in the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔, *in all, pp.* 1⅔. *Ibid.* 108.

11 Aug. Assignment by Thomas Blosse the younger, of Burstall, in Suffolk, gentleman.

My father's investment in the Irish adventure was entrusted in the hands of William Cage [as above], my grandfather. The sum (£250) was by my grandfather paid in to the Chamber of London in his own name. In consideration of my love for my father and sisters I assign the share to my father. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Blosse, *&c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 109.

1654. 7 Nov. Same by Thomas Blosse the elder

Assigning a share of £250 in the Irish adventure, which has been allowed him by the Committee in respect of part of a sum paid in

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by Anthony Bedingfield and Wm. Cage, and which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Richard Scutt, of Westminster, in consideration of £187 10*s.* paid by Scutt to him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by assignor before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 110.

1653. 21 Dec. Deposition of Bernard Hopkins.

John Strang, of Bideford in "the County of Exeter" adventured £50 for Ireland in 1642. He did not dispose of this adventure by his last will. *P.* ¾. *Signed* (*Hol.*), *&c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 111.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Strange [or Strang: *see foregoing*]. *On same page. P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 111*a*.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums really the property of Strange, or his heirs, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endorsed with note* that the sum has been allowed to George, the son of John Strange. *Ibid.* 112.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Four receipts by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, in all for £6 13*s.* 4*d.*, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter by the hands of George Luxon. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 113.

Same. Four of same by same for £5 from the same by the hands of Humphrey Lange. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 114.

Same. Four of same by the hands of William Grining. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 115.

Same. Four of same, in all for £7, from same, by the hands of Robert Gibbes. *On same page P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 116.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The four preceding sets of receipts are for sums properly belonging to Luxon, Lange, Gibbes and Grining, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 117.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Four receipts similar to those above [*Nos.* 113–116], in all for £10, paid through William Johns. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 118.

Same. Same for same sum paid through Wm. Davis. *P.* 1, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 119.

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13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The two preceding sets of receipts are for sums really the property of Johns and Davis, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 120.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Two sets of four receipts, similar to those above [*Nos.* 113–116], the first for £10, paid through John Dyke; the second for £5, paid through Anthony Austinge. *Each set on one page. In all, pp.* 2. *Ibid.* 121 *and* 122.

1653. 13 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing sets of receipts are for sums really the property of Dyke, 'of Bideford,' and Austinge, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 125.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Christopher Goade, of London, minister. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 123.

1654. 26 July. Assignment by Sir Charles Wolseley, as executor of the last will of Goad, as aforesaid.
Assigning the share taken by Goad to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Wolseley *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 124.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Five sets each of four receipts, similar to those above [*see Nos.* 113–116], and respectively for £30 paid in through Thomas Wadland, £26 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in through Jonas Hanmer, minister, £20 paid in through John Thomas, £20 through John Hearde, of Bideford, and £40 through Anthony Dennis. *Each set of four receipts on same page. In all, about pp.* 5. *Ibid.* 126-130.

1653. 16 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The above sets of receipts are for sums respectively the property of Wadland, Hanmer, Thomas, Heard and Dennis, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 131.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Four sets of each of four receipts, similar to those above [*see Nos.* 113–116], respectively for £10 paid in through John Boolle, £5 through Robert Boolle, £20 through John Richards, and £10 through John Elles. *Each set on one page. In all, pp.* 4. *Ibid.* 132, 133, 135 *and* 137.

1653. 13 Aug. Two certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
Three of the foregoing receipts are for sums really the property of John and Robert Boole and of John Richards. These may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾ *and p.* ½, *one endd., both with seal of the city. Ibid.* 134 *and* 136.

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13 Aug. One of same.

The four receipts for £30 paid in their name by Joseph Clapham, of Barnstaple, are really for sums paid in by Clapham himself. He may dispose of these receipts accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. S.P. Ireland* 297, 138.

1654. 1 Aug. Assignment by John Soame, citizen and merchant tailor of London.

Assigning his part of the share of £1,200 in the Irish adventure —allowed to him and to Symon Middleton, citizen and goldsmith of London, in respect of an adventure [*see following*] of £1,000 by Sir Thomas Soame, Kt., and of £200 by Robert Sutton, of Aram, in Notts.—to Symon Middleton, as above. It has fallen in the barony of Ikerkin [Ikerrin], co. Tipperary. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Soame *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 139.

1642. 14 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from Sir Thomas Soame, Kt., Alderman of London and M.P. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 140 *and* 141.

1653. 8 April. Assignment by Sir Thomas Soame, as above.

Assigning the foregoing receipts to Symon Middleton and John Soame. Usual covenants. The consideration includes giving of security for £1,000 by John Soame and Middleton jointly with the assignor, to Robert Hill, of Poundsford, in Somerset. *P.* 1. *Signed &c., as No.* 139. *Endd. Ibid.* 142.

1642. 26 March. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £30, from Richard Beaumont, of Aldermanbury [London]. *Each p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 143 *and* 145.

1643. 21 Aug. 19 Oct. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, each for £4 3*s.* 4*d.*, from same, "of London, apothecary." *Each p.* ½, *one endd. with*—

(1) Note that a sum has been allowed to Richard, son and heir of Richard Beaumont.

(2) Note by Dorothy Beaumont, executrix, as to the adventure. *Ibid.* 144 *and* 146.

1653. 19 Aug. Deposititon by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

In 1642 he adventured £100 for Irish land in the name of the Mayor, Bailiffs and Commonalty of Exeter. He has lost the receipts for this sum, but they have not been doubled or converted to the prejudice of the State. *P.* ¾. *Signed and certified by* John Copleston. *Ibid.* 147.

164½. 28 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 164⅔. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Ralph Herman, of the same, goldsmith. *Each p.* 1. *Ibid.* 148–51.

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21 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing receipts are for sums really the property of Herman, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 152.

1653. 29 Aug. Deposition by Bernard Hopkins.
John Strang, or Strange, deceased, did not by his last will, make any disposition of his share in the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Hopkins *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 153.

1642. 30 April. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Strange, of London. *P.* ¾ *and p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 154–5.

1654. 10 April. Assignment by Strange.
Assigning his share [*see foregoing*], which has fallen in the barony of Lune, in Eastmeath, to George Clarke, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 156.

1654. 23 Aug. Same by Joseph Clifton, citizen and tallow-chandler, of London.
Assigning to Robert Boys, of London, gentleman, a share in the Irish adventure, which he has by assignment from Joseph Owfield, minister, of Exeter, and which has fallen in the barony of Fertulla [Fartulla], co. Westmeath. *P.* ¾, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 157.

3 June. Assignment by Owfield to Clifton, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1, *as above. Ibid.* 158.

1642. 28 May. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50 paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter by the hands of Owfield. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 159.

1653. 23 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing is for a sum advanced by Owfield, who may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 160.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 164⅔. 23 Jan. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £7 10*s.*, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Richard Morrell, cooper. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 162.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two of same, in all for £25, by same, through the hands of Nicholas Field, of Totnes. *P.* 1. *On same page. Endd. Ibid.* 164.

1653. 4 and 23 Aug. Two certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing are for sums really advanced by Morell and by Field, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ¾, *with seal of the city, and endd. Ibid.* 163 *and* 165.

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1 July. Assignment by Morell, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Morell *before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 161.

1642. 7 May. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £80, from John Keynes, of Marlborough, Wilts. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 166 *and* 167.

1654. 11 April. Assignment by John Keynes.
Assigning the above to George Clerke, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by* Keynes *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 168.

1642. 28 March. 21 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Woodcock, of London, grocer. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 169–171.

1653. 22 Aug. Deposition by Richard Clutterbuk, or Clutterbooke, of London, merchant.

Elisha Robins, late of London, merchant, subscribed £200 for lands in Ireland in 1642. The receipts for this sum are lost, but have not been doubled or converted to the prejudice of the State. Deponent guarantees the State against future claims in respect of them. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Clutterbuck *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 172.

Same. Further deposition by same.
Similar in effect to foregoing. The last will of Robins made no disposal of his adventure. Elisha Robins, now living, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 173.

24 Aug. Same by Wm. Woodman, of "Magnes" [St. Magnus the Martyr], London.

Together with Samuel Browne and Thomas Rosse, he adventured £150 for Ireland in 1642. £25 of this £150 was, and is, the proper money of deponent. This sum is lost, but has not been doubled or converted for profit. Deponent guarantees the State against future claims in respect of it. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Woodman *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Ibid.* 174.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Robert Tabor, of Harlow, in Essex. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 175.

1643. 12 Sep. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from the same, "coller maker." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 176.

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Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Tabor, as above, amongst other things devises his share in the Irish adventure to his three sons, John, William and Christopher, and their heirs, for ever. The will is dated 23 May, 1651, and proved in the Prerogative Court on 14 July of same year. *P.* ½. *Certified by* Salmon. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 177.

1642. 19 July. 13 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £12 10*s.*, from John Gay, "of Batheston" [Batheaston], Somerset, clothier. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 179 *and* 180.

19 July. Two of same, in all for same sum, from Wm. Robins, of Bathwick, Somerset. *P.* ⅔ *and p.* ½, *one endd, one imperfect. Ibid.* 181 *and* 182.

1654. 18 Oct. Certificate by Gay, "of Haycombe," and Robins, as above, yeoman.

They desire that one certificate be taken from the Committee of Claims for their shares of £25 each [*i.e.*, £12 10*s.* doubled?] *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses,* Robins *signing with his mark. Ibid.* 178.

1653. 22 July. Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Certifying John Gay's payment of £25 for the Irish adventure in 1642 and 1643. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs *and followed by—*

22 Aug. Deposition by Gay.

Two of the receipts given to him—being for £12 10*s.* in all—were lost or plundered in the late wars. They have not been assigned or converted to the prejudice of the State. *P.* ¼, *dated and certified by* John Atwood, Mayor of Bath, and John Bigges and Walter Chapman, justices. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 183.

22 July. Further certificate by Tibbs.

Similar to the foregoing certificate, but dealing with the subscription of William Robins, of Bathwick, as above. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing, and followed by—*

22 Aug. Deposition of Robins.

Similar in effect to foregoing deposition by Gay, and similarly dated and certified by the Justices of Bath. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 183*a*.

12 Aug. Certificate by Robert Cockeram.

Katherine Sanford, of Collompton [Cullompton], in Devon, late wife of Peter Ratcliff, deceased, has made oath before him this day that her husband did not assign his adventure for Ireland to anybody before his death, or bequeath it by his last will. Peter Ratcliff, her son, is her husband's rightful heir. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Robert Cockeram. *Endd. Ibid.* 184.

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18 July. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £50 paid in by Wm. Nosworthy, of Exeter, schoolmaster. *P.* ⅓, *with note* that Grace Nosworthy is the widow of the deceased, and that the lot, not being devised, falls to her. She has a son, upon whom she will settle it. *Endd.*: allowed to John, eldest son of Wm. Nosworthy. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 185.

1653. 27 Aug. Bond by Thomas Thynne, of London, merchant.

He binds himself in £100 to guarantee the State against all future claims in respect of a share of £25 taken by Peter Hudson, of London, "upholder," which share he, Thynne, now claims. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 186.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Hudson, as above. *P.* ½ *and p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 187 *and* 188.

1653. 21 Nov. Assignment by Wm. Bruen, of Exeter, merchant.

Assigning a share in the Irish adventure, which he holds as assignee of Philip Foxwell, and which has fallen in co. Down, to George Clarke the elder, of Milk Street, London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 189.

1642. 28 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Philip Foxwell, or Foxwill. *P.* ⅔, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 191.

1653. 18 July. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above are for sums really the property of Foxwell, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 190.

15 Aug. Assignment by Foxwell.

Assigning his share, as above, to Wm. Bruen, of Exeter, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Foxwell, *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 192.

1642. 30 May. 15 July. Four receipts similar to above [*No.* 191], in all for £20, paid in by the hands of Henry Elmston, or Elmstone, of Honiton. *Pp.* 2, *on two pages, each endd. Ibid.* 193 *and* 194.

1653. 4 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Similar to the above [*No.* 190] in respect of Elmston's subscription. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 195.

1642. 25 April. 8 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, paid in by George Macy and Nicholas Carwithen, of Exeter, merchants. *P.* ½, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 196.

1654. 13 June. Assignment by Margaret, widow and executrix of Nicholas Carwithen, as above, and of John, his son and heir.

Assigning the share allowed by the Committee of Claims in respect of their father and husband's adventure, which has fallen

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in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 197.

1653. Certificate by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

22 Aug. On this day Margaret Carwithen took an oath before him that her late husband, Nicholas, did not dispose by his last will of his share in the Irish adventure. He made her sole executrix, and John Carwithen, now of Exeter, grocer, is his eldest and only son. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the office of the Mayoralty of Exeter. P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 198.

165¾. Assignment by William Rainsborough, Rainsburrow, Rainborow,
4 Feb. or Rainsborowe, of London, merchant, brother and heir of Thomas Rainsborowe, merchant, of the same.

Assignor and his late brother invested £500 each in the Irish adventure. Assignor doubled £500 thereof at Gurney House upon the security of deans' and chapters' lands. He assigns £300 worth of his land, which has fallen to him by lot in Eastmeath, to John Pratt, of Lutterworth, in Leicester, Esq. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Rainsburrow *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 199.

24 Feb. Same by John Coney, or Conney, citizen and mercer of same.

Assigning to George Clarke, of London, merchant, a share of £200 in Irish land, which he has as assignee of William Rainsburrow. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 200.

1649. Copy of Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

13 June. Certifies the subscription of £1,000 for the Irish adventure by the brothers Rainsburrow. *P.* ⅔, *with notes*—

(1) By Richard Price, secretary to the trustees for the sale of deans' and chapters' lands, that half of these sums is allowed to be doubled by Major Wm. Rainsburrow, and—

(2) By W. Benson, registrar-accountant, that £500 of this adventure was doubled, and that the rest is still unsatisfied.

The second note dated 2 Sep., 1653, and the whole certified a true copy by W. Benson. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 201.

1653. Further assignment by Wm. Rainsburrow, as above.

17 Nov. Assigning £200, part of his share in Irish land, to John Cony [Coney], citizen and mercer of London. Recitals same as in *No.* 199. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by assignor before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 202.

1649. Copy of certificate of Lord Mayor Andrewes.

13 June. Similar to *No.* 201 *above, q.v.*, certifying a subscription of £200, without the note by Benson, but certified a true copy by Jo. Barnewell, Nath. Stirrop, cashier, and Richard Pretty. *Endd. Ibid.* 203.

1653. Deposition by Richard Warner, of London, grocer.

24 Aug. The receipts for an investment by the late Alderman John Warner, of London, are missing, but have not been doubled or

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converted to profitable use. Deponent guarantees the State against all future claims in respect of them. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Warner *and dated and certified by* Francis Blomer. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 204.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

By his last will, dated 22 Oct. and proved 18 Dec., 1648, John Warner, late Lord Mayor of London, made his brother, Richard Warner, residuary legatee (after several devises) and sole executor. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 205.

27 Aug. Assignment by Richard Warner, as above.

Assigning the share in Irish land which he has from his brother John, to Henry Langham, citizen and mercer of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 206.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Rebecca Giffry, widow, of the same. *P.* 1. *On same page. Ibid.* 207.

1653. 30 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above are for sums really the property of Rebecca Giffry, widow, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 208.

5 Sept. Deposition of Matthew Jumper, of Martin's le Grand, London, citizen and leather-seller, aged about 29 years.

He well knew Col. John Needham or Nedham, late of Stanton, in Nottingham, deceased. Wm. Needham, of Cawood, in Yorks., is reputed his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Certified by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 209.

1642. 12 May. Agreement by Gilbert Milington, or Millington, of Felley, in Notts., Esq., M.P.

Of the £1,250 which he invested in the Irish adventure £300 has been undertaken for by John Nedham, of Stanton, in Notts., gent. He agrees to grant to Nedham and his heirs, &c., a part of the land allotted for the whole proportioned to his subscription. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 210.

1648. 11 Dec. Similar agreement by same.

Nedham has paid in £75 in Millington's name, Millington agrees to make the proper grant of land to him accordingly. *P.* 1 (*parchment*), *&c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 211.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,275, from Gilbert Millington, M.P. *Each p.* ⅔, *one* (*value* £318 15*s.*) *endd. with note* that it has been allowed to Wm. Nedham, son and heir of John Nedham. *Ibid.* 213 *and* 214.

164⅞. 1 Jan. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £318 15*s.* from same. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 212.

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Certificate by Tibbs.

Richard Allott, of London, haberdasher, by his last will, dated 9 Nov., 1642, bequeathed to his sister Mary Wood, the wife of Richard Wood, of Chesterfield, in Derbyshire, his share of £50 in the Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{2}{5}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 215.

1653. 2 Aug. Chesterfield. Deposition by Richard Wood, of Chesterfield.

He has not doubled nor assigned his right to the first third of the share mentioned in foregoing. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed and certified by* Reginald Bretland, Mayor (of Chesterfield). *Ibid.* 216.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.* from Richard Allott, of London, yeoman. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 217.

30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 3 March. Six sets of four receipts each, for sums received by the Sheriff of Exeter, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of different persons. The sums and persons paying are as follows, in order :—

John Steevens £10, Samuel Pourden £20, Walter Lawrence £13 6*s.* 8*d.*, Martin Hollman, of Bideford, £10, Anthony Moore £20, and Nicholas Olliver £10. David Langdon, or Lunedon, £10. *Each set of four on one page, four of them endd. Ibid.* 218, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226 *and* 228.

1653. 13, 16, 23 and 30 Aug. Five certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Certifying that the foregoing receipts are for sums properly belonging to the investors named in the foregoing, who may dispose of them accordingly. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$ *or p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *and each with seal of the City of Exeter. Endd. Ibid.* 219, 223, 225, 227 *and* 229. The certificate dated 16 Aug. (*No.* 223) mentions Samuel Pearden [Pourden], Walter Lawrence, Martin Hollman and John Pitts as joint investors.

1654. 14 Dec. Assignment to Wm. Cary, of Dartmouth, in Devon, merchant, by the following persons "being all of Dartmouth and the parts adjacent in the County of Devon," of their interests as stated below in the Irish adventure.

List follows of sums subscribed by, and the document is duly signed &c. before witnesses by, the following :—

Nicholas Treworgy.
Barbara Lewes.
Coram Williams.
Joseph Pille or Piles.
Elinor Gill (*signs with her mark*).
Mary Puckle.
John Littlejohn.
Elinor Perret.
Jane Webber (*signs with her mark*).
Richard King.
Margery Evans.
Dunes Hinde (*signs with his mark*).
Tabitha Turpin.
William Harris.
Dunes Knight (*signs with his mark*).
Joan Harris.
Susana Staplihill [Staplehill].
Elizabeth Norver.

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Elizabeth Blake.
Rose Cole (*signs with her mark*).
Mary Page (*ditto*).
Joan Page (*ditto*).
Judith Atkins (*ditto*).
Honor Eliot.
Joan Angier (*signs with her mark*).
Martha Puckle.
Dorothy Dodding.
Martha Dodding.
Priscilla Porke (*signs with her mark*).
Mary Wootton.
John Wallis.
Philip Dyer.
Susanna Manning (*signs with her mark*).
Anne Smith.
Wm. Smith.
Mary Norver (*signs with her mark*).
John Ellis.

P. 1 (*large*). *Sealed by the assignors. The sums adventured vary from one shilling to* £3 *and the whole adventure is of the value of* £57. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 230.

31 Oct. Certificate by Wm. Barnes, "Mayor of the Borough of Clifton Dartmouth Hardnes," and by Lawrence Wheeler.

John Rich, of Dartmouth, in Devon, cordwainer, to-day deposed before them that the late Nathaniel Davy, of Dartmouth, clerk, invested £4 13*s.* 9*d.* in the Irish adventure in his lifetime. He left no will. Mary Davy, now living at Waterford or elsewhere in Ireland, is the sole daughter and heir of Nathaniel. *P.* ½. *Signed by the* Mayor and Laurence Wheeler. *Endd. Ibid.* 231.

Same. Further memorandum of same.

Rachel Horswill, of Dartmouth, widow of Edmund Horswill, late of Dartmouth, to-day deposed before them that her husband, who adventured a sum for Ireland, died intestate, and had made no assignment of his share. Edmund Horswill, now resident with deponent at Dartmouth, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 232.

Same. Same.

Honor Skane, wife of Richard Skane, of Brixham, in Devon, mariner, and sometime widow of John Browne, of Dartmouth, tailor, deposed before them to-day that the late John Browne, who adventured a sum for Ireland, died intestate, and, she thinks, without assigning his adventure. John Browne, now resident at Brixham, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 233.

Same. Same.

Luce [Lucy] Glover, widow, sometime the wife of Henry Penny, late of Dartmouth, deposed before them to-day that Henry Penny, who adventured a sum for Ireland, made no bequest of that sum in his will or assignment of it during his lifetime. Henry Penny now resident with deponent, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 234.

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27 Oct. Same.

Thomasine Clarke, of Dartmouth, widow and administratrix of Wm. Clark, late of Dartmouth, deposed before them to-day that Wm. Clark, who adventured a sum for Ireland, died intestate and without assigning the investment in his lifetime. William Clarke, now residing with this deponent, is his son and heir. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 235.

31 Oct. Same.

Kathrine, widow of Philip Norton, late of Dartmouth, deposed before them to-day that her husband by his last will made no disposal of his adventure for Ireland. Philippa Hoyle, wife of John Hoyle, of Dartmouth, merchant, is his only daughter and heir. *P.* ½, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 236.

2 Nov. Same.

Walter Jago, of Dartmouth, merchant, to-day deposed before them that the sum adventured for Ireland in the name of Eustace Budgell was really advanced by him, Jago; also that Pascho Jago, the father of the deponent, adventured a sum for Ireland and did not dispose of the same in his lifetime or devise it by will. Robert Jago, of Helston, in Cornwall, clerk, is the only son and heir of the said Jago. *P.* ¾, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 237.

Certificate by Tibbs.

John Staplehill the elder, of Dartmouth, by his last will, dated 22 Nov., 1653, and proved 20 Sep., 1654, made no disposal of his Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 238.

7 Nov. Deposition by Thomas Leigh, of Gregory's Parish, London.

He well knew John Staplehill, late of Dartmouth, in Devonshire. John Staplehill, now of Dartmouth, is his only son and heir. *P.* 1. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 240.

General date Oct., 1653. Certificates by Laurence Wheeler, Mayor of Dartmouth, Arthur Upton and Edward Spurwaie, or Spurway, concerning the adventurers for Ireland from Dartmouth and district.

There are eleven certificates similar in length, substance and character and testify to the Committee of Claims in London the following facts:—

21 Oct. Benedict Watts, of Dartmouth.—Much impoverished since his first instalment and is unable to complete payment. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 241.

Same date. Robert Stoneman.—Has been absent seven years and his wife does not know whether he is alive or dead. She cannot complete. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 239.

Same date. John Rich, of same.—Similar case. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 242.

Same date. Thos. Cave, of same.—Is dead and his heir has not sufficient estate to complete. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 243.

24 Oct. Edmund Horswell, of same.—Similar to foregoing. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 244.

Same date. Nathaniel Davy, or Davis, of same.—Same case. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 245.

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24 Oct. Rose Cole, of same.—She cannot complete. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 246.

Same. Margaret Trosse, of same.—Is dead and has left so small an estate that her heir cannot complete. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 247.

20 Oct. Wm. Wotton, of same.—Has lost money since his first instalment and cannot complete. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 248.

24 Oct. Thomas Lovis, of same.—Is dead and has left so small an estate that his heir cannot complete. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 249.

21 Oct. John Ameredith, of same.—Is unable to complete. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 250.

Same. John Lomer, of same.—Is too poor to complete. *In all, about pp.* 5½, *in twelve different entries, all endd. Ibid.* 239, *and* 241–251.

5 Nov. 1 and 24 Dec. Three receipts by Alderman Thos. Andrewes, under power given him by an Act of Parliament, entitled "an Act for the speedy and effectual satisfaction of adventurers for lands in Ireland," in all for £218 11*s.* 3*d.*, from Robert Cary, for "the several members of the Corporation" of Dartmouth, or from "the Corporation of Dartmouth by the hands of Robert Cary of Plimmouth." *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 252–254.

1642. 19 July. 7 Nov. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £251 17*s.* 6*d.*, £1,055, and £123 15*s.* 7*d.*, from the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgesses of Dartmouth. *P.* ⅔ *each respectively. Ibid.* 255, 258 *and* 257.

30 May. One of same by same for £667 1*s.* 10½*d.*, from Roger Mathew, Esq., M.P., being one-fourth of £2,668 7*s.* 6*d.*, the sum advanced by Mathew for the Corporation of Dartmouth. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 256.

Statement of the account between Roger Mathew and the Mayor and Corporation of "Clifton Dartmouth Hardness."

He is debtor for them for £2,668 7*s.* 6*d.* advanced for them for lands in Ireland.

He is creditor for them for £667 odd received himself, £1,055 received of Nicholas Gould, £123 odd received of Michael Herring and £300 received of Charles Vaughan.

The whole subscription of the people of Dartmouth and the adjacent parts was £2,668 7*s.* 6*d.* Of this 84 particular persons paid in £1,648 7*s.* 6*d.*, and 59 other particular persons paid in £749 7*s.* 6*d.* *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 259.

1654. Certificate by the Mayor of Dartmouth and of Edward Spurwaie.

25 Aug. Dartmouth. Thomas Halswill, of Dartmouth, in Devon, subscribed for the Irish adventure in 1642. He has directed Robert Cary, of Plymouth, merchant, to pay in what is still due upon his subscription. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Wheeler and E. Spurway. *Ibid.* 260.

Undated. Further notes on the adventure of the inhabitants of Dartmouth for land in Ireland.

Gives unimportant details as to the subscription. *P.* 1¼. *Ibid.* 261.

Latest date 1653. 24 Dec. Further notes on same.

Gives the dates of the payment of various instalments of their subscriptions to the Irish adventure, and names [*already mentioned elsewhere*] of those by whom the instalments were paid in. A further statement shows how this fund (£2,615) is allocated as between English and Irish acres, and as between Thomas Boone, Charles Vaughan, and others of the inhabitants of Dartmouth. An estimate of the amount of arrears is also given. *P.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 262.

1654. 24 June. Assignment by John Cawley, *sen.*, of Dartmouth, netmaker.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Lucy Cary, of Dartmouth, spinster. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 263.

Further note on the Dartmouth adventure, showing :—

(1) Those who advanced money for Irish acres. They are :—

Barbara Hamett, then widow, since married to Robert Bake, merchant, of Dartmouth.

Thomazin Newcomen, then spinster, since married to John Pendarvis, minister of Abingdon.

Elizabeth Staplihill [Staplehill], now Elizabeth Morris, widow.

Anthony Fletcher, mariner.

Thomas Newcomen, which he has given to his wife and children.

(2) Those who subscribed for English acres. They are :—

Gilbert Staplihill, merchant.

John Barnes, same.

Thomas Halswill, shipwright.

Simon Voysey, merchant, heir of Andrew Voysey.

Robert Wood, merchant.

Robert Maine, butcher.

(3) Those who are "in the list of the poor." They are: Ephraim Eastcot, chymist; Walter Bird, vintner; Benedict Watts, cooper; William Woolen, weaver; John Rich, shoemaker; Anthony Follett, baker; Walter Manfield, cooper; Robert Stoneman, shipwright; John Lomer, mariner. *P.* ¾. *Some of the names crossed off. Ibid.* 264.

26 Sep. Further certificate by Lawrence Wheeler, Mayor of Dartmouth.

Simon Voysey, late of Dartmouth, and now resident, as he is informed, in one of the "Chariba" [Carribean] Islands, is the eldest son and heir of Andrew Voysey, late of Dartmouth, deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Wheeler. *Ibid.* 265.

Same. Same.

Richard English, of Dartmouth, Devonshire, to-day deposed before him that Andrew Voysey, late of Dartmouth, deceased, by his last will, made about 18 May, 1653, made his son Andrew sole executor. English penned this will, and the son proved it after the testator's death, taking upon himself the burden of it. The will contained no disposal of his Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed by* English and the Mayor. *Ibid.* 266.

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Further note of those who [adventured] for Irish or English acres [from Dartmouth].

For Irish acres:—

Arthur Upton and Thos. Boone, Wm. Fabin, Thomas Newcomen's children, Elizabeth Morris, Richard Skane for John Browne, John Pendarves for Thomasin Newcomen, Barbara Hamet, then widow, now married to Robert Bake, of Dartmouth.

For English acres:—

Tristram Lane, Emanuel Wasley[?] for himself and Hamet, Lucy Cary for Caly, Adams and Puckle, Walter Manfield for himself and Couch, Thomas Halswill, William Barnes, John Rich, Thomas Lidstone.

Walter Manfield and John Rich—amongst others—had certificates of poverty. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Some of the names crossed off as if their claims had been satisfied. S.P. Ireland* 297, 267.

Abstract from the last will of John Irish, late of Dartmouth, Devon, mercer, deceased.

He bequeaths a sum to his son Samuel Irish. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with note signed by* Wm. Cary, of Dartmouth, and Richard English, notary public, that they have taken this copy from the original, which is under seal of office of the late Archdeacon of Totnes: the will is dated 15 Feb. and the probate 18 Mar., 164$\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 268.

16 May. Assignment by Alexander Staplihill or Staplehill, of Dartmouth.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Elizabeth Morrow, of Dartmouth, widow. *Pp.* 1$\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by* Staplehill *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 269.

Assignment by Richard Puckle, of Dartmouth, "spinster."

Assigning his [?] interest in Irish land to Lucy Cary, of Dartmouth, spinster. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 270.

19 June. Same by William Hammett, of same, mariner.

Assigning his interest to Emanuel Wolley, of Dartmouth, ropemaker. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., as above. Ibid.* 271.

24 May. Same by Thomas Tacke, only son and heir of Richard Tacke, late of Dartmouth, merchant, and executor of his will.

Assigning an interest in Irish land which was taken by his father and not disposed of by his will, to Richard Forward, of Dartmouth, stationer. *P.* $\frac{4}{5}$. *Signed, &c., as above. Underwritten with*—

Note by Henry Milles, notary public.

Richard Tacke's will, which he has seen, contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 272.

19 May. Certificate by Richard English, notary public.

At the request of John Plumleigh, of Dartmouth, son of Wm. Plumleigh, late of Dartmouth, deceased, he certifies that John is

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the sole executor of his father's last will. The will was duly proved in the Prerogative Court of London before Sir Nathaniel Brent, Kt., late Judge of the Prerogative Court, and the probate bears date 28 Oct., 1648, in witness whereof he signs and puts his "wonted and accustomed firme." *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed (Hol.) in the ordinary way. Also signed with a formal "firm" or device, being a system of complicated curved lines and the words "Richard English: notar: publique; nec spe, nec metu;* 1654." *Also underwritten with note:—* "The Commissioners have no power to make over the lands in Ireland to any but to the heirs of deceased adventurers or to the person to whom it is expressly given by will; therefore this certificate is nothing worth; *also endd. with:—*

29 May. Certificate by Wheeler, Mayor of Dartmouth, and Spurwaie, or Spurway, two Justices of the Peace.

John Plumleigh is the son of the late William Plumleigh. William's will, of which they have seen probate, gives no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *in all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. generally. S.P. Ireland* 297, 273.

Same. Certificate by Wheeler and Spurwaie, as above.

Thomas Newcomen, of Dartmouth, merchant, deceased, by his will bequeaths his adventure in Ireland to his wife and children, *i.e.*:—One-sixth each to Thomasin Pendarves, Elias, Elizabeth and Anstice Newcomen, with right of survivorship among these children. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$, *with formal certificate by* Wheeler and Spurwaie, *in all, P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 274.

22 Sep. Certificate by Wheeler.

Emanuel Wolley, of Dartmouth, ropemaker, and Nicholas Calley, of same, sailmaker, both aged about 45, to-day deposed before him that they well knew John Saunders, late of Dartmouth, mariner. In December, 1646, he went out of Dartmouth port as Master of *The New Medusa,* bound to some port or place in France. They have heard that he arrived there safely, but perished on the return journey at sea, the ship being cast away: and that he died intestate. He died without issue, and Dorothy, wife of Ambrose Mudd, of Dartmouth, merchant, was and is his only sister, and next heir. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Wheeler *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 275.

30 May. Assignment by John Adams, of Dartmouth, mariner.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Lucy Cary, of Dartmouth, and her heirs for ever. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., with* Adams' *mark, before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 276.

1653. 21 Oct. Certificate by Wheeler, Upton and Spurwaie, to the Committee for Claims [in London].

William Gourney subscribed £12 for land in Ireland in the name of the Corporation of Dartmouth in 1642. He died without completing the payment thereof, and left so small an estate that his heir is unable to complete payment. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., by the certifiers. Endd. Ibid.* 277.

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20 Oct. Similar certificates by same to same. Anthony Follett, of Dartmouth, paid in part of a subscription for land in Ireland in the name of the said Corporation, but is too poor to complete. Ephraim Eastcott paid in part of a subscription similar to foregoing, but is unable to complete. The same is true in regard to the subscriptions of Walter Manfield and Walter Byrd, of Dartmouth, *Each p.* ½, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 297; 279, 279*a*, 280, 281.

1654. Assignment by Obadiah Widger, of Dartmouth.

10 July. Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Walter Mansfield, of Dartmouth, cooper. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 278.

6 June. Assignment by the undersigned of their shares in the Irish adventure to Wm. Cary, of Dartmouth, merchant.

They have all adventured for Irish acres. Their subscriptions [*sums given*] amount in all to £25 2*s.* 6*d.* *P.* 1. *Signed and sealed by the following* :—

Hannah Harford.
Prudence Philpot.
William Bawden, the elder.
William, Elizabeth, Elinor, Margaret and Johan[na] Bawden — his sons and daughters.
John Mitchell.
John Frind.
Susanna Roop.
Mary Cade.
Jane Perkins.
Anne Squire.
Elizabeth Puckell.
Richard Hopping.
Nicholas, Elizabeth, Margaret and Johan[na] Goodridge.

Each of these signatories signs with his or her mark except William Bawden, *jun.*, Margaret Bawden, Hannah Harford, Susanna Roop and Elizabeth Puckell. *Endd. Ibid.* 282.

1643. Further certificate by Wheeler.

[? 1653.] 5 Dec. In 1642, on the coming forth of the Act of Parliament empowering Corporations to subscribe for lands in Ireland, certain persons approached the Corporation of Dartmouth and asked leave to subscribe in their name. These persons undertook for £2,668 7*s.* 6*d.*, and £2,397 15*s.* thereof was paid into the Treasurers of the Guildhall in London. The sums accordingly adventured belong to the actual subscribers, and not to the Corporation. Arrears have since been paid in by several persons, which, with their former payments, are to the amount of £781 15*s.*: and all are now paid in except some poor persons who, owing in all £114 to the adventure, have sent in certificates, under the hands of the Justices, according to the provisions of the Act, certifying their poverty. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Wheeler, *and with seal of the Corporation. Ibid.* 283.

List of those who subscribed for lands in Ireland in 1642 through the Corporation of Dartmouth and have paid in their arrears.

Joseph Cubite.
Tristram Lane.
Robert Mayne.
Clement Palmer.
Robert Wood.
Thomas Lydstone.
Blaunch Langdon.
Robert and Wm. Barnes.
John Barnes.
Philip Norton.
John Hollygrove.
Wm. Clarke.
Emanuel Wolley.
Wm. Hammett.

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Giles Rouncevall.
George Leigh.
Benjamin Cleland.
William Plumleigh.
Thomas Boone.
Laurence Wheeler.
Edward Spurway.
John and Gilbert Staplehill.
Dorothy Mudd.
John Saunders.
Capt. Nicholas Roope.
Richard Forward.
Richard Tack.
John Adams.
Roger Sparke.
John Cawley.
Andrew Voysey.
Eustace Budgell.
Henry Penny.

The total paid in by these persons is £781 15*s.*

P. 1. *Endd. generally and also endd. with* :—

List of those who are too poor to complete their subscriptions to the amount of £114.

In all, 16 *names, for which see above, S.P. Ireland* 297, 241–251, *and* 277–281. *P.* ½, *in all, pp.* 1½. *S.P. Ireland* 297, 284.

List of those who subscribed in 1642 in the name of the Corporation of Dartmouth, for lands in Ireland and have paid in full.

Contains sums subscribed by the following :—

Johan[na] Aungier, spinster.
Judith, daughter of Wm. Atkins.
William Bawden the elder; Wm. the younger, and Elizabeth, Eleanor, Margaret and Johanna Bawden.
John Browne, tailor.
Thos. Boone, of Tunstall, merchant.
Wm. Cary.
Elizabeth Blake, of Lupton.
Mary, daughter of George Cade.
Anna Couch, spinster.
Martha and Dorothy Dodding, spinsters.
Honor, daughter of Hester Ellyot; Margery Evans.
Philip Dyer the elder.
Hannah Harford.
Dunes Hynde, widow.
William, son of Wm. Harris.
John and Johan[na Harris].
Richard Hopping, shipwright.
John Irish.
Pasco and Walter Jago.
Stephen Knolling.
Francis Dring.
Arthur Upton and Thos. Boone, in trust, for Anna and Rebecca, as the gift of Charles Vaughan.
Arthur Upton, of Lupton, Esq.
John Ellis, smith.
Anthony Fletcher.
John, son of Elizabeth Frind.
Wm. Fabian, glover.
Elinor Gill, spinster.
Elizabeth, Margeret, Johan[na] and Nicholas Goodridge.
Anthony Harford, clerk.
Barbara Hammet, widow.
Prudence, daughter of Agnes Philpot.
Elizabeth, daughter of Thos. Pooling.
Mary, Martha and Elizabeth Puckle, spinsters.
Jane Perkins, widow.
Eleanor Perrott, spinster.
Mary and Johan[na], daughters of Thos. Page.
Priscilla Porke, widow.

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Dunes Knight, spinster.
Richard King, sailor.
Barbara, daughter of Thomas Lewes.
John, son of John Littlejohn.
Johan[na], daughter of Roger Mathew.
John, son of Nicholas Mitchell.
Susanna, daughter of Edward Manning.
Elizabeth and Mary Norver, spinsters.
Thomas Newcomen and Thomasine, his daughter.
Tabitha, daughter of Robert Turpen.
Wm. Taylor, soap-boiler.
Nicholas, son of Nicholas Treworgy.
Joseph, son of Miles Piles.
Susanna, daughter of Gilbert Roope.
Alexander Staplehill, Elizabeth, and Susanna, his daughter.
Anna Squire, widow.
Anna Smyth, spinster.
Wm. Smyth, sailor.
Charles Vaughan, of Ottery St. Mary, Esq.
Christopher Wheeler the elder.
Jane Webber, spinster.
Coram Williams, shipwright.
John Wallis, servant to Richard Tack.
Mary Wotton, spinster.

Total, £1,649 7*s.* 6*d.* *Pp.* 1¾. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 297, 285.

1653. 30 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Dartmouth.

The foregoing sum belongs not to the Corporation, in whose name it was subscribed, but to the several subscribers. *P.* ½, *with mark of seal of the borough.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 286.

1649. 22 Dec. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Wm. Stroud, or Strode, of Barrington, in Somersetshire, paid in £600 for the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Signed.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 287.

1652. 12 June. Copy of assignment by Sir Nicholas Crispe.

Assigning £700, part of assignor's adventure of £1,700, to Stroud, as above. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 288.

1649. 22 Dec. Copy of certificate by Andrewes.

P. ½, *as above, No.* 287, *followed by*—Power by Strode, dated 26 Aug., 1653, to Alderman Samuel Avery, to draw for him for his original lot of £600 and his assigned lot of £700 (*see above, No.* 288). Ratification clause. *In all, p.* 1, *the power signed, &c., before witnesses. The whole endd.* *Ibid.* 289.

1653. 20 Aug. Certificate by Lord Mayor Fowke, or Folke, of London.

He subscribed £600 for lands in Ireland, the receipt for which is lost. He certifies that he made the payment, and that the receipts have not been doubled or converted. He appoints his son to draw a lot for him. *P.* ⅔. *Signed.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 290.

1653. 6 Sep. Bideford. Deposition by John Thomas, Alderman [of Bideford.]

Edward Baglehole subscribed £5 for lands in Ireland in 1642. He made no assignment of his adventure, nor left it by will, and is

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dead. Wm. Baglehole, now living, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* 1. *Signed by* John Heard, Mayor, *and with mark of the seal of the mayoralty of Bideford. S.P. Ireland* 297, 291.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March.

Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £5, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, from Edward Baglehole, or Baggellholl. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 292.

Same.

Same for £10 from same through John Tracy. *P.* 1, *as foregoing. Ibid.* 293.

1653. 6 Sep. Bideford.

Deposition by Geo. Huxson, Alderman of Bideford.

John Tracy, or Tracey, subscribed for land in Ireland in 1642. He made no disposal of his investment by assignment or by his will, and is dead. John Tracy, now living, is his reputed son and lawful heir. *P.* 1. *Signed by the* Mayor of Bideford, *and with seal of the mayoralty. Endd. Ibid.* 294.

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Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipts above [*Nos.* 292 *and* 293] are for sums really the property of Baglehole and Tracy, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 295.

1653. 6 Sep. Bideford.

Deposition by John Cadde.

John Pitts subscribed for Ireland in 1642, is since dead, and did not bequeath or assign his share. Philipp[a], the wife of Richard Veale, is his reputed only child and heir. *P.* 1. *Signed by the Mayor of Bideford and with seal of the mayoralty. Endd. Ibid.* 296.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March.

Four receipts, &c. [*as above, No.* 292], in all for £5, paid in through John Pitts. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 297.

1653. 5 July.

Certificate by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

William Cave, of the Parish of St. Thomas "Thapostle," came before him to-day, "being an honest man and of good repute and credit," and deposed that he had paid in £50 for the Irish adventure to the late Sheriff, Walter White. The receipts therefor were with other things plundered and taken out of his house by the late King's forces in the siege of Exeter. *P.* 1, *with seal of the mayoralty. Ibid.* 298.

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Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have no interest in any claim by William Cave, as above, in respect of any investment by him in the Irish adventure. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 299.

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6 Sep. Bideford. Deposition by John Boole, alderman [of Bideford].

William Collocott, who subscribed for the Irish adventure in 1642, is dead, and did not bequeath or assign his share. He had no children, brother or sister, and he thinks [the share] belongs to his wife. *P.* ⅓. *Certified by the Mayor and with seal of the mayoralty of Bideford. S.P. Ireland* 297, 300.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 18 Nov. 164⅔. 3 March. Three sets each of four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter for sums received from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, as follows:—£5 by the hands of Wm. Collocott, £5 by Thomas Walter, and £10 by Abraham Johns. *Each set on one page. Pp.* 3. *Endd. Ibid.* 301, 302, *and* 303*a*.

1653. 6 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums advanced by Johns, Collocott and Walter, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 304.

Same. Bideford Deposition of John Boole.

Abraham Johns, who adventured a sum for Irish land in 1642, is dead, and made no bequest or assignment of his share. Samuel Johns, now living, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾, *&c., as No.* 300. *Ibid.* 303.

1657. 25 June. Certificate by William Hill, of London, aged about 41, and Francis [*sic*] Thornbury, of London, spinster, aged about 23.

They well knew Edward Michell, late of London, scrivener, deceased, and Anne, now wife of Frances Talboys, of London, haberdasher, is reputed to be his sole sister and lawful heir. *P.* ½. *Signed* [*Thornbury signing with his mark*] *and certified and dated before* Wm. Harington, Dr. of Laws and Master in Chancery in ordinary, *and with note* that Mr. William Hill is a scrivener at the Inner Temple gate, and Frances [*sic*] Thornbury is at Mr. Ward's, a tailor, in Bosvile yard in St. Clement's. *Also endd. with* certificate by Richard Husband, dated 8 Sep., 1653, that Anne, the wife of Francis "Taylboys," is the sole sister and heir of Edward Michell, deceased. *In all, pp.* 1½. *Ibid.* 305

1642. 18 March. 29 April. 17 June. 10 and 19 July. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £62 10*s*., advanced by Edward Michell, of London, scrivener. *Each p.* ⅔ *or p.* ½. *Ibid.* 306–9 *and* 311–12.

1653. 19 Aug. Certificate by John King, late of Harlow, in Essex, gent., aged about 71 years.

William Sumpner, late of Matchin, in Essex, advanced £50 for lands in Ireland. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Matchin *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 310.

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16 Feb. Assignment by John Larder, citizen and merchant-tailor, of London, and Elizabeth, his wife.

Assigning to John Towes, citizen and stationer of London, a share of £200, which they have by assignment from Thomas Kentish, late of Abbot's Langley, in Herts., clerk, and for which lots have fallen in Co. Limerick, and in the north-west quarter, No. 4, of the barony of Connello. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 313.

1642. 29 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Kentish, as above. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 314 *and* 315.

165¾. 14 Jan. Assignment by Kentish, as above.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to John and Elizabeth Larder, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 316.

1655. 11 May. Assignment by John Towse, or Towes, as above (*No.* 313).

Assigning the lot he has received by assignment from Kentish, to John Barrett, citizen and joiner of London, for £110. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Towse. *Endd. Ibid.* 317.

1653. 19 Sep. Deposition by Joshua Fowler.

John Fowler, sen., deceased, advanced a sum for lands in Ireland. The receipts are lost, but have, to the deponent's knowledge, not been converted or used to the prejudice of the State. Guarantees the State against future claims in respect of them. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Fowler *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Ibid.* 318.

1649. 21 June. Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of John Fowler, late citizen and clothworker of London, contains no demise of his Irish adventure. The will was dated 13 Sep., 1641, and proved 22 Dec., 1642. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 319.

Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

John Fowler, of London, clothworker, paid in £200 for the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 321.

1653. 22 Sep. Memorandum that Elias Roberts, of London, merchant, testifies that Joshua Fowler, of London, merchant, dwelling in Bucklersbury, London, is the son and heir of John Fowler, of London, merchant, deceased. *P.* ⅓. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Roberts. *Ibid.* 320.

165¾. 16 March. Assignment by John Fowler, of London, merchant, executor of the will of his father, John Fowler, as above.

Assigning to James Phillips, of "Tirgibby" [Gibiland], co. Cardigan, his interest in certain lands which have been allotted in the barony of Eliogarty, co. Tipperary, in respect of his father's

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investment. These lands are assigned in part payment of the marriage portion of assignor's sister Katherine, now wife of James Phillips, as above. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 297, 322.

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21 Feb. Assignment by Mary Reade, of St. Olave's, Southwark, widow and executrix of the last will of John Reade, late of London, carpenter, deceased.

Assigning the lot which she has on account of her husband's investment and which has fallen in Queen's Co., to Samuel Lynn, of St. Thomas, Southwark, carpenter. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 1.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from John Reade, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Endorsed with* an assignment (*erased*) to Richard Higgins, citizen and cordwainer of London. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 2.

1652. 6 May. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

John Reade paid in £12 10*s.* for the Irish adventure in March, 164½, for which he had no receipt. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Endd. as foregoing. Ibid.* 3.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of John Reade, citizen and carpenter of London, dated 30 March, and proved 1 May, 1651, made no disposal of his adventure for lands in Ireland. He made his wife, Mary, executrix and residuary legatee. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Tibbs *an underwritten with* deposition (dated Sep., 1653) by Mary Reade to the effect that her husband was without children at the time of his decease. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Mary *with her mark and dated and certified by* Samuel Hislands. *The whole, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 4.

1654. 24 July. Assignment by Philip Constantine, son and heir of Philip Constantine, of London, deceased.

Assigning £225, part of a lot of £250, which he has on account of his father's adventure, to John Parker, of London, merchant. The £250 was part of £700 advanced by Parker. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. and add.* : "For Mr. John Parker, merchant, in Mr. Alexander Constantine's house in Coleman St., over against Bell Alley ; these ; in London." *Ibid.* 5.

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12 Aug. Certificate by Ralph Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

James Marshall and Christopher Clarke the younger, of Exeter, citizens and merchants, have deposed before him that the accompanying writing is a copy from the "leiger" book of accounts of Samuel Clarke, late of Exeter, deceased. Clarke, as they believe, died in Ireland about two years ago and never disposed of or had any benefit of his adventure of £300; also they depose that Samuel Clarke is the eldest son of Samuel Clarke aforesaid. *P.* ¾, *following an* extract, dated Nov., 1643, from the ledger book, as aforesaid, which shows £300 advanced for the Irish adventure, £200 thereof being advanced in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. *In all, p.* 1. *The deposition signed by* Herman *and by* Henry Milles, public notary. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 6.

1654. 4 May. Assignment by John Burroughes, Burroughs, Borrowes or Burrowes, of [St.] Mary, Athill, London, clothworker, heir of Samuel Burroughs, late of Nottingham, deceased.

Assigning £300, part of his share in the Irish adventure, to Thomas Field, of London, grocer. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 7.

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Assigning £225, part of the share mentioned in foregoing, to George Brigstock, of Worth, in Sussex. *P.* 1, *and pp.* 1½, *&c., as foregoing. Original and copy. Ibid.* 8 *and* 9.

Same. Same.

Assigning £300, also part of the adventure mentioned in foregoing, to Thomas Field, of London, grocer. *Pp.* 1½ *and pp.* 1½. *Two copies, neither sealed, both endd. Ibid.* 10 *and* 11.

165¾. Certificate by Duling Salmon.

15 Feb. He does not find in the records of the Prerogative Court any will made by Samuel Burroughs, late of Nottingham, deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Salmon. *Ibid.* 12.

Same. Deposition by Wm. Sherwood, of Mary Athill, near Billinsgate, aged forty years.

Samuel Burroughs adventured £1,125 for lands in Ireland in 1642 and 1643 in the name of Gilbert Millington, M.P. He is since dead, and John Burroughs, of London, clothworker, is his reputed eldest brother and lawful heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Sherwood *and certified and dated by* Frances Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 13.

1642. Certificate by Gilbert Millington, M.P.

12 May. Undertaking to allow the due share of land in Ireland to Jarvis Lomex, or Gervase Lomax, of Thrumpton, in Notts., who undertook for £300 of the sum of £1,275, invested for lands in Ireland by him. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 14.

Same. Same by same.

Giving similar undertaking to Charles White, of "Bevall," in Notts., who has adventured £300, part of Millington's adventure. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 15.

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12 May. Same.

Similar undertaking to Samuel Burrowes, of the town of Nottingham, who has adventured £300 in his adventure. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 298, 16.

1648. Same.

11 Dec. Giving similar assurance to Samuel Burrowes, as in foregoing, who has taken a share of £225 in Millington's adventure. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 17.

1647. 15 Dec. Indenture of agreement between Gervase Lomax, of Cropwell Butler, Notts., and Samuel Burrowes, as above.

Lomax, in consideration of £340 secured to him by Burrowes, assigns to Burrowes his share of £300 in the adventure of Gilbert Millington. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Lomax *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 16.

164$\frac{6}{7}$. 23 Feb. Same between Charles White, of Nottingham, and Samuel Burrowes, as above.

In consideration of £330 paid him by Burrowes, White assigns him his interest in Irish land as partner in the adventure of Millington [*see above, No.* 15]. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 19.

1642. 30 May. 1 and 8 Sep. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Samuel Northcott, merchant and mercer of Plymouth. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 20, 21 *and* 22.

1653. 6 Sep. [Exeter.] Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums really the property of Northcott, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 23.

15 Aug. Bideford. Certificate by John Heard, Mayor of Bideford.

William Shebber, of Abbotisham, in Devon, yeoman, and Robert Dennis, of Bideford, aforesaid, merchant, have to-day deposed before him.

Shebber deposed that he advanced 40 marks in 1642 for reducing the rebels in Ireland, but has lost his receipt. Dennis deposed that he had received the sum from Shebber, and had paid it in to Sheriff White, of Exeter, and had delivered White's receipt to Shebber. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by the Mayor, and with seal of the mayoralty of Bideford. Ibid* 24.

30 Aug. Same Certificate by same.

Philip Palmer, of Northam, co. Devon, and Robert Dennis, of Bideford, have to-day deposed before him.

Philip Palmer deposed that he had adventured £5 for Ireland in 1642, but had lost the receipt therefor. Dennis deposed to having paid in Palmer's money to Sheriff White and delivered White's receipts to Palmer. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 25.

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30 Aug. Same.

Similar evidence given by Thomas Wren, of Bideford, roper, and Robert Dennis, of the same, merchant. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 298, 26.

13 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

They have seen the certificates of the Mayor of Bideford [*see last three documents*] and one of Anne Smalle or Smale, widow. Anne's deposition was that in 1642 her late husband, Christopher Smale, deceased, adventured £20 for land in Ireland in the name of the Corporation of Exeter; that he paid in £5 thereof, which was all that was then asked, and that shortly afterwards he was "taken at sea and carried captive into Sallye [Sallee] where he was miserably kept and died." The sums adventured by these people in the name of the Corporation do not belong to the Corporation, but to the investors, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1; *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 27.

19 April. 11 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Elizabeth Soame, of "Haydon," or "Haweden" [Heydon], in Essex, widow. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 28–30.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Dame Elizabeth Soame, widow and relict of Sir Stephen Soame, late of Haydon, in Essex, Kt., by her last will, dated 2 Mar., and proved 1 April, 1648, bequeathed any profits which might arise from her investment in the Irish adventure to her youngest son, John Soame. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 31.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Henry Prigg, of Exeter, woollen draper. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 32 *and* 33.

1653. 30 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums advanced by Prigg, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1; *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 34.

1642. 20 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Anthony Roswell, or Rosewell and John Browne, of Freshford, in Somerset. *Each p.* ⅔, *and each endd. with* assignment by Rosewell of his interest therein to Browne *alias* Brownjohn. The assignments dated 165½, 8 Mar. *In all, pp.* 3. *Ibid.* 35 *and* 36.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

John Guy, late of Shute, in Devon, by his last will, dated 12 Sep., 1642, and proved 20 Nov., 1647, bequeathed to his son the

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£100 which he had lent "for the better safeguard of the Christians in Ireland . . . . in the hope of better preferment for me and my children." *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 37.

6 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, advanced by John Shute, as above. *P.* ½, *on same page. Endd. Ibid.* 38.

1653. 9 Aug. Bideford. Certificate by John Heard, mayor, Lionel Becher and Thomas Wadland, three justices for the town of Bideford.

William Bartlett, minister of the word at Bideford, to-day deposed before them that he paid in £10 for Ireland in 1642, and had a receipt from White, "then Sheriff and public receiver of Exeter." Robert Dennis, Alderman of this town, also deposed that he received the sum from Bartlett, paid it to White and delivered White's receipt to Bartlett. *P.* 1. *Signed by the certifiers and with seal of Bideford. Ibid.* 39.

1653. 12 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Approving the foregoing and declaring the extent of Bartlett's interest accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 40.

1654. 25 April. Assignment by John Markes, of Exeter, fuller, eldest son and heir of Nicholas Fuller, same of same, deceased.

Assigning the lot which he has on account of his father's investment to Susan Shurley, of Westminster, spinster. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Markes *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 41.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Nicholas Markes, as above, dated 9 Aug., and proved 18 Nov., 1643, contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 42.

1653. 29 Sep. Deposition by Nicholas Markes, the younger.

Similar in substance to the foregoing documents, which relate to the investment by his late father. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* John Hollesay [?]. *Ibid.* 43.

1642. 30 May. 19 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £25, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Marks or Markes, as above, the elder. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 44 *and* 45.

165⅔. 23 Aug. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing belong to Marks, who may dispose of them. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 46.

1642. 9 May. 2 July. 5 Oct. 10 Nov. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from Henry Henley, of Exeter, merchant. *On same page. P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 47.

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Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Samuel Browne, of St. Magnes [St. Magnus the Martyr], London, dated 7 Aug., 1644, and proved 16 Jan., 164$\frac{4}{5}$, contains no disposal of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Salmon. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 48.

14 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 from Samuel Browne and Wm. Woodman, citizens and cutlers of London, and Thomas Ross, of London, tallow-chandler. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 49.

30 April. 9 July. Two of same, in all for £50 from Samuel Browne alone. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 50 *and* 51.

1653. 5 Oct. Deposition by William Woodman, as above.

Samuel Browne, as above, is now dead, and made no bequest or assignment of his 'Irish' adventure. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Woodman *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 52.

12 Dec. Declaration by William Brice, sometimes of [St.] Mildred, Bread Street, London, and now of Henley-upon-Thames, clerk, Richard Brice, sometimes of Newbury, in Berks., and now of Abington, in Berks., maltster, and William, son and heir of Margaret Church, late of New Windsor, Berks., widow.

They paid in money for lands to lie in and near Limerick. They are willing to take a certificate in their joint names. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 53.

1643. 28 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £20 from Richard Brice, of Newbury, in Berks. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 54.

Same. Same for same sum from Wm. Brice, of London, clerk. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 55.

1653. 9 Sep. Assignment by Thomas Blackwell, of London, merchant-tailor.

Assigning his share in Irish land to John Farley, citizen and grocer of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed (Hol.), &c., before witnesses. Endd. with*:—

3 Oct. Assignment by Farley to John Hurst, citizen and cook of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *&c., as above, In all, pp.* 1$\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 56.

1643. 11 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from Blackwell, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 58.

1653. 21 Sep. Certificate by Richard Shipton.

Wm. Boggas, late of Flowton, in Suffolk, died without issue, but left his wife Mary, big with child of a son, who lived for two years. There is now no issue of his body. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Shipton *and endd. with*—

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Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Boggas left no bequest of his Irish adventure in his last will, proved 31 Jan., 164$\frac{4}{5}$. He ordained his wife, Mary, his sole executrix. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 57.

28 Sep. Deposition by Richard Shipton, of New Fish Street Hill, London.

He well knew Wm. Boggas, late of Flowton, in Suffolk, gentleman. There is no issue of his body. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Shipton *and certified and dated by* Alderman Thomas Andrewes. *Ibid.* 59.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 from Boggas or Boggis, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 60.

1653. 5 Sep. Alderman Andrewes to Mr. Turner.

I find by my books that Edward Parkes paid the first payment of £450, subscribed by himself and four more, of whom Mr. Boggas was one. Parkes paid in his share of £25. Eleazer Duncombe can produce but one receipt of £25. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. (*Hol.*) *Ibid.* 62.

27 Sep. Assignment by Eleazer Dunkon, or Duncombe, of Harleston, in Norfolk, Mary, his wife, late widow and executrix of Boggas, as above, with consent of Samuel Bandtoft, or Bantoft, of Ipswich, clerk, and Sarah, his wife, sister of Mary.

The Dunkons, with the consent of the Bandtofts, assign the share of £50, which is due on the adventure of Boggas in Irish land, to John Hurst, citizen and cook of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the* Dunkons *and the* Bandtofts. *Endd. Ibid.* 62.

15 Aug. Deposition by John Clay, of Leicester, beer-brewer.

The original receipts for sums which he invested on the Irish adventure were lost at the plundering of Leicester by the late King's forces. He made no assignment of them or profit on them. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Clay *and certified and dated by* Thomas Chapman, Recorder of the Borough of Leicester. *Endd. Ibid.* 63.

1643. 21 Aug. Note of Clay's investment, similar in substance to foregoing. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 64.

1653. 21 Oct. Assignment by James Noel, citizen and goldsmith of London.

Assigning a lot which the Committee of Claims have allowed him in respect of an investment by George "Thorrowgoode," of Hornechurch, to Wm. Barker, of London, Esq. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 65.

1642. 29 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150 from George "Throwgood," of Hornchurch. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. with*—

Assignment, dated 1 Aug., 1653, by Elizabeth, widow of George Thorowgood.

Assigning this share to her son-in-law, James "Noell," of London, goldsmith. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 66.

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7 Oct. Certificate by John Wollaston, Robert Tichborne and Thos. Foote, Justices of the Peace for the City of London.

They certify that James Noel [*see foregoing*] has lately sustained "a very great loss almost to his utter ruin" and cannot therefore complete the payment of £600, of which the above £150 formed part. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by the Justices. S.P. Ireland* 298, 67.

1642. 11 March. 18 June. 23 Sep. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 6 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Snow, of Cannon Street, in London, haberdasher. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 68–71.

1649. 18 July. Assignment by Snow, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, to John Blackwell, of Morclacke [Mortlake], in Surrey. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 72.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Daniel Lewis, of London, merchant-tailor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 73.

1649. 21 Dec. Assignment by Lewis.

Assigning his share, as in foregoing, for £40, and other considerations, to John Osborne, of Bampton in the Bush, in Oxfordshire, clerk. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 74.

1654. 13 June. Same by Thos. Cacott, of Dorking, in Surrey.

Assigning his interest in the Irish adventure to John Wood, of Northchapel, in the parish of Petworth, in Sussex, clerk, and John Wood, of Dorking, yeoman, his brother, partly in consideration of a yearly rent granted to him by the latter out of certain of his freehold lands lying within the parishes of Reigate and Dorking. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 75.

1653. 7 Oct. Deposition by John Wood, of Northchapel.

The receipt for Thomas Cacott's adventure of £12 10*s.* is lost. He does not think it has been converted or assigned for profit, but it was lately assigned to deponent and to John Wood, of Dorking. They have not used it to the detriment of the Commonwealth. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Wood *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 76.

29 Dec. Deposition by Cacott, as above.

He paid in £50 for the Irish adventure in 1642. He has lost a receipt for £12 10*s.* thereof, but it has not been converted or doubled at Gurney House. He has assigned it to John Wood, of Northchapel, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Cacott *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 77.

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12 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from Cacott, or Caycott, as above [*No.* 75]. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 78.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two of same, in all for £200, from the Right Worshipful Robert Sutton, of Aram, Notts, M.P. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 81 *and* 82.

1643. 7 Aug. 12 Sep. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £12 10*s.*, from Cacott. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 79 *and* 80.

1653. 2 Oct. Assignment by Robert Sutton, as aforesaid, "late Lord Lexington," and late M.P.

Assigning at the request of Sir Thomas Soame, of London, Kt., late M.P., his share of £200, as above, to Symon Middleton, citizen and goldsmith of London, and John Soame, citizen and merchant-tailor of same. Consideration has been given by Sir Thos. Soame. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, followed by* power of attorney, dated 10 Oct., 1653, from Myddleton and John Soame to Edward Smyth to act for them in the matter of the lottery. *The power signed, &c., as usual. The whole p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 83.

8 Oct. Certificate by John Hill the younger, of "Crouched Friars," London, merchant, and Henry Spurstowe, of Little St. Helens, London.

Edward Hill, now a scholar at Lewisham, in Kent, is the eldest son and heir of Humphrey Hill, late citizen and mercer of London, deceased. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Hill *and* Spurstowe. *Ibid.* 84.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Nathaniel Deards or Deardes, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, dated 28 March, 1646, and proved 28 Sept., 1650, made certain bequests to his brother Thomas Deards, citizen and apothecary of London. It made him sole executor and residuary legatee. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 85.

Same.

The last will of Humphrey Hill, citizen and mercer of London, dated 12 Oct., 1651, and proved 23 May, 1653, bequeathed his property equally between his wife Anne, his son Edward and his daughter Mary; and made his wife sole executrix. He gave no special gift of his Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed as foregoing. Ibid.* 86.

1643. 9 Aug. 17 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from Humphrey Hill, as above. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 87 *and* 88.

1642. 24 March. 24 June. 19 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £62 10*s.*, from Nathaniel Deards, of London, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 89, 90 *and* 92.

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5 July. One of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £12 10*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 91.

165½. 1 March. Assignment by Thomas Deards, citizen and apothecary of London, executor of Nathaniel Deards.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Humphrey Hill, citizen and mercer of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, followed by* receipt by Deards for £22 19*s.* 2*d.* in full payment of this bill. *Endd. Ibid.* 93 *and* 94.

1642. 8 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £1,000, from Mary Barker, of Bristol, widow, as above. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 97.

1649. 26 Nov. Indenture between Mary Barker and Edward Freshwater, of Lincoln's Inn, Esq.

Mary assigns the foregoing to Freshwater. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by* Mary Barker. *Ibid.* 96.

1652. 20 Dec. Same between Edward Freshwater, as above, and John Blackwell the younger, of Mortlake, in Surrey.

Freshwater assigns to Blackwell the lot of £1,000 which he has by assignment from Mary Barker, for £500 paid and other consideration. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Freshwater *before witnesses. parchment. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

1642. 30 May. 20 Aug. 10 Nov. 164⅔. 30 Jan. Two sets of four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, one set for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Bayliff, of Chard, in Somerset, the other set for same sum, from John Boyte, of same. *Each set is on three pages. In all, pp.* 4. *Ibid.* 98–100 *and* 102–103*a*.

1653. 13 Aug. Two certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums really the property of Chard and Boyte, who may dispose of them accordingly. *Each p.* 1, *with mark of seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 101 *and* 104.

1642. 30 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Mrs. Dorothy Moggridge. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 106.

1652. 25 May. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums the property of Dorothy Moggridge, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 107.

1653. 29 Aug. Certificate by Henry Henley.

By her last will Dorothy Moggridge, late of Exeter, deceased, gave £100, her share in the Irish adventure, to John Champneys, her grandchild. *P.* ½. *Certified by* B. Pitts, one of the witnesses of the abovesaid will. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 105.

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6 Nov. Assignment by Edward Harris, of London, draper.

Assigning to John Sweeting, of London, merchant, a share in the Irish adventure, which has been allowed him by the Committee in respect of a payment by John Curle or Curll, of Freshford, co. Somerset, and which has fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, co. Westmeath. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 108.

1653. 20 Sep. Assignment by Curll to Harris (*see foregoing*). *P.* 1. (*Hol.*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 109.

Same. Deposition by Curll.

The receipts for his investment in Irish land have been mislaid, and not doubled at Gurney House. He guarantees the Government against future claims in respect of them. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Curll *and certified and dated by* John Ashe, J.P. for the said county Somerset. *Endd. Ibid.* 110.

7 Oct. Barnstaple. Certificate by Thomas Mathew, Mayor of Barnstaple, and William Nottle, Alderman.

Elizabeth Gay, of Barnstaple, widow, was daughter and heir-apparent of Richard Beaple, late of Barnstaple. *P.* ½. *Signed by* the Mayor *and with seal of the mayoralty of Barnstaple. Ibid.* 111.

1642. 30 May. 15 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by Richard Beaple, of Barnstaple, merchant. *P.* 1, *on same page. Ibid.* 112.

1653. 13 Sep. Exeter. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums advanced by Beaple, who may dispose of them. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 113.

30 Aug. Bideford. Certificate by John Heard, Mayor of Bideford.

Anne, widow of Christopher Smale, late of Bideford, mariner, deceased, and Robert Dennis, of Bideford, merchant, deposed this day before him :—

Anne deposed that Christopher Smale or Smalle, subscribed a sum for land in Ireland in 1642 and paid in a first instalment, but was captured at sea, taken to Sallee and died in captivity before he could complete his payments [*see above, p.* 267, *No.* 27]. Robert Dennis deposed that he received the money from Smale and paid it to the Sheriff of Exeter. *P.* ½. *Signed by* the Mayor *and with seal of the mayoralty. Endd. Ibid.* 114.

1642. 10 and 11 March. 20 April. 9 and 24 May. 19 July. Six receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £373, from Job Weale, physician of Kingston, in Surrey. *Each about p.* ⅔ *and endd. Ibid.* 115–120.

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5 Oct. Certificate by Obadiah Wickes Sackford Ganson and Thomas Haward.

Job Weale, of Kingston, in Surrey, subscribed for lands in Ireland in 1642. He has been prevented from completing the investment by imprisonment, lawsuits and "great charge of children." *P.* 1. *Signed, &c. by the certifiers. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 121.

11 Oct. Deposition by Robert Seamer, of London, draper.

John Hall, of Wenhaston, in Suffolk, who subscribed for lands in Ireland in 1642, is dead, and made no disposal or bequest of his interest. John Hall, now living, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Seamer *and dated and certified by* Francis Blomer. *Ibid.* 122.

1643. 25 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £100, from same, of "Weyneston" [Wenhaston], in Suffolk. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 124.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

He has perused the last will of Hall, as above, dated 8 Oct., 1649, and proved 10 April, 1651. It contains no demise or bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 123.

1655. 4 Oct. Assignment by Thos. Fox, citizen and vintner, of London.

Assigning to Thos. Leaver, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, a lot which he has by assignment from Edmund Seaman, of London, mariner, sometime master of the good ship *Honour* of London, and which has fallen in the barony of Geashill, King's Co. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 125.

1643. 18 Sep. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £10 from Seaman, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 126.

165⅘. 14 March. Assignment by Seaman to Fox, as in last document but one. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 127.

1643. 7 Aug. 3 Oct. 3 Nov. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £64 1*s.*, from Thomas Steane, master of the Company, and from the master and wardens of the Company of Wax-chandlers. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 129–131.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Sir Gilbert Pickering, Kt., M.P. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 128 *and* 132.

1647. 13 Dec. Deposition by Sir G. Pickering, as above.

£300 of the £600 mentioned in foregoing was really advanced by Col. Charles Fleetwood, to whom he releases part of this interest accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 133.

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9 May. 29 July. 15 Nov. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £30, from John Higgins, of King's Norton, and of Snode, in Worcestershire. *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 134–6.

1652. 7 Oct. Deposition by Higgins, as above.

He advanced £40 for the Irish adventure in 1642, the receipt for £10 of which is lost. It has not been converted or used to the damage of the Commonwealth. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Higgins *and certified and dated by* Thos. Milward, a Justice of the Peace for Worcestershire. *Ibid.* 137.

1642. 29 March. 7 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Seeling, of London, pewterer. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 138 *and* 139.

1653. 13 Oct. Certificate by Thomas Atkin, John Wollaston and [Alderman] Thos. Andrewes.

Seeling, of Katherine Colman [St. Kathrine Coleman St., London], as above, subscribed £200 to the Irish adventure and paid in £100. By bad debts and by sickness of "his wife, children and servants, which are a great family" he has been prevented from completing payment. *P.* ½. *Signed and sealed by the above. Ibid.* 140.

1656. 9 June. Assignment by Martin Oglethorpe, of London, draper.

Assigning to Thomas Parris, of London, merchant, a lot in the Irish adventure which he has by assignment from Samuel Richardson, of Islington, Middlesex, who was the assignee of the late Wm. Smyter, of Southwark, the original investor. The lot therefor is fallen in the barony of Cullenagh and the consideration is £10. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

1652. 30 July. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Wm. Smyter or Smiter paid in £6 5*s.* for the Irish adventure on 28 Mar., 1642, for which he received no receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 142.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £18 15*s.*, from Smiter, or Smyter. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 143.

1653. 12 Sep. Assignment by Smiter to Richardson, as mentioned in No. 141 above. *P.* ½ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses and endd. with* assignment dated 8 Oct., 1653, by Richardson to Oglethorpe as in same. *Also endd. generally. Ibid.* 144.

26 Oct. Certificate by Thomas Atkin, Thomas Foot and John Kendrick, Justices of the Peace in London.

They adjudge that John Davies, of London, skinner, who subscribed a sum for the Irish adventure in March, 1642, is too poor to complete his purchase. *P.* ⅓. *Signed and sealed by the above. Endd. Ibid.* 145.

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29 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £6 5*s.*, from Davies, or Davis, as above. *P.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 146.

1654. Assignment by Davis.

23 Aug. Assigning his share, as in foregoing, to John Seeling, of London, pewterer. It has fallen in the barony of Geashill, King's Co. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 147.

1653. Bond by Richard Bury, of Dorchester, Esq.

8 Nov. He binds himself in £400 to the Keepers of the liberties of England to guarantee them against any future claims purporting to be made by an heir of Daniel Bury, deceased. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 148.

1642. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
30 April. the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Wm. French, of
14 Oct. Cambridge, physician. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 149–152.

Deposition of Richard Bury, of Dorchester, aged about sixty.

His younger brother, the late Daniel Bury, of the town and co. of Southampton, died without issue, and made no will in writing. Deponent administered all his goods and chattels. *P.* ⅓, *followed by*—

1653. Certificate of Henry Maber, Mayor of Dorchester.

11 Oct. Richard Bury deposed before him to-day that the above is true. *P.* ⅙. *Signed by* Mayor. *The whole p.* ½, *with official seal of the Mayor of Dorchester. Ibid.* 153.

1652. Indenture of agreement between John French, of London, Dr. in
20 April. Physic, executor of the last will and testament of Wm. French, late of Cambridge, physician, deceased, on the one part, and Daniel Bury, of Southampton, on the other.

Dr. French assigns the share which he has as executor of Dr. French, of Cambridge, to Bury. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *large parchment. Signed, &c., by* French *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 154.

1642. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the
28 May. Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Lome, of the same,
17 Aug. cooper. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 155.
15 Nov.
164⅔.
12 Feb.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

6 Sep. The foregoing are for sums really the property of Lome, who may dispose of them. *P.* ½, *with seal of Exeter. Ibid.* 156.

10 Dec. Assignment by Wm. Lawson, citizen and skinner of London.

Assigning to Wm. Staine, Stayner, or Stane, £25, part of a lot of £75, which he has by assignment from John Gearing, *jun.*, son

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and heir of John Gearing the elder, deceased, late of London, grocer, who was the original investor. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 157.

19 Nov. Same by John Gearing the younger to Lawson, as in foregoing. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 158.

1654. Assignment by William Staynes, Dr. in Physic.

Assigning to Henry Poole, son and heir of Henry Poole, of London, a share or £50 in the Irish adventure, which has been allowed to him by the Committee of Claims, as assignee of John King, minister of Abbot's Langley, and of John Gearing. It has fallen in the barony of Connello, co. Limerick. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 159.

165¾. Same by William Lawson, citizen and skinner of London.

13 March. Assigning to Miles Corbett, Esq., one of the Commissioners in Ireland, a share which he has as assignee of John Gearing, the younger, and which has fallen in the Queen's co. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 160.

1642. 2 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75 from John Gearing, the elder, of London, grocer. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 161.

1653. 24 Sep. Certificate by John Morris, Richard Downton and James Hawley, three Justices of the Peace for Middlesex.

As required to do by John Geering or Gearing, now residing at Istleworth [Isleworth], administrator of Geering, the elder, as above, we certify that Geering, the elder, subscribed a sum for lands in Ireland, but was never able to complete payment thereof. Geering, *jun.*, has too many of his father's debts to pay to be able to complete. *P.* ⅔. *Signed and sealed by the certifying justices. Ibid.* 162.

12 July. Certificate by Wm. Hawkins and George Gill.

Wm. Mead, of Beardon [Berden], in Essex, is the eldest son and heir of Thomas Mead, late of London, merchant, deceased. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 163.

14 Sep. Thomas Dougan [?] to Mrs. Boat or Boate.

I shall carry out your directions as given in your letters out of England, but think I should relate to you what your husband said to me on his death-bed. I was sent for to draw his will, and he said in my presence that he wished his estate to be divided into eight parts, two to his wife and six to his six children, with limitation in favour of his eldest son, when any of the others died. *Other details. P.* 1. (*Hol.*). *Endd. Ibid.* 164.

1642. 19 July. 20 Oct. 164⅔. 27 Jan. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £75, from Gerard Boate, Dr. of Physic. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 165–7.

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20 April. 19 July. Two of same, in all for £150, from Dorothy Moore or More, of Dublin. *Each p.* ½, *one endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 298, 168 *and* 169.

1644. 11 May. Bond given by Dorothy Moore, as above.

She gives a bond of £300 to Dr. Boate, as above, of London. The condition thereof is that she acknowledge the foregoing receipts in her name to be for money really the property of Boate and assure him all the profit which shall accrue in respect thereof, If she does this the bond to be void; but otherwise to be of full force. *P.* ½ (*on parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses, the binding clause in Latin, the remainder endorsed thereon in English.* *Ibid.* 170.

1653. 6 Oct. Same given by Kathrine Boate.

Binding herself in bond of £1,200 to indemnify the "Keepers of the Liberties of England" against all claims, in respect of a share of £600 taken by Gerard Boate in the Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 171.

7 Oct. Certificate by Sir John Clotworthy and others.

They have heard of Dr. Boate's subscription in his own name and in that of Dorothy Moore. Dr. Boate was Physician-General to the Army in Ireland. He died about four years ago in the service of the Commonwealth, being reduced to so mean and low a condition that his wife and family had to be pensioned by the Commissioners then at Dublin. He could not complete his subscription. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Sir John Clotworthy, J. Hewson, Robt. King, W. Goffe, H. Hutchinson, Thos. Cooper and Francis Blomer. *Ibid.* 172.

1642. 31 May. — July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of William Squire, of South Molton, gentleman. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 173.

1653. 13 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums the property of Squire, who may dispose of them. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 174.

1642. 31 May. 30 Aug. 7 Dec. 164⅔. 7 March. Four receipts, as in last but one, in all for £50, paid through Thomas Dennis, of Barnstaple, merchant. *Pp.* 1⅓. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 175.

1653. 13 Sep. Certificate of Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Similar to last but one, but in favour of Dennis. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 176.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts (as in last but one), in all for £100, paid through Walter Tucker, of Barnstaple. *On same page.* *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 179.

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13 Sep. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Similar to last but one, but in favour of Tucker. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd.*: "Allowed to the heirs of Walter Tucker, deceased, vizt., Mary, wife of Gilbert Paige, and Hanna, wife of Philip Shapcott." *S.P. Ireland* 298, 177.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £75, from Wm. Bassett. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 178.

28 April. Same by Richard Mogg, deputy to Martin Sanford, Sheriff of Somerset, for £75 paid in by Bassett, of Claverton, as aforesaid. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 180.

1653. 13 Oct. Deposition by Wm. Bassett, of Claverton, in Somerset.

In April, 1642, he subscribed £300 to the Irish adventure and paid it in within the time appointed by Parliament and had acquittances for the receipt of his whole sum accordingly. He has mislaid them, but has not received any satisfaction for his adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Bassett *and certified and dated by* John Ashe. *Ibid.* 181.

28 Oct. Bond by Charles Cheyne or Cheney, of Draighton Beecham [Drayton Beauchamp].

He binds himself in £1,200 to them to indemnify them against all future claims made in respect of an investment of £600 in the Irish adventure by Francis Cheney, of Chesham Boys [Bois], in Bucks. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 182.

1642. 30 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Cheney, as above. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 183.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

He has seen the last will of Cheney, as above, which is dated 11 April, and proved 29 Nov., 1644. It made no disposal of his Irish adventure, but made his son Charles sole executor. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 184.

1653. 9 Nov. Deposition by Charles Cheney, as above.

The receipts for the £600, which his father paid in, have been mislaid, and have not been doubled or used to his advantage, or to the loss of the Commonwealth. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Cheyne *and dated and certified by* Thos. Benet. *Endd. Ibid.* 185.

31 Oct. Assignment by Dame Margaret Bromley, of Loughborough, in Leicester, widow.

Assigning her share in the Irish adventure to Oliver Bromskyll, of Sheriff-Hales, in Salop, clerk. Usual covenants. *Two copies. P.* 1 *and p.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 186 *and* 188.

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5 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £20 from "Lady Margaret Bromley." *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 187.

1654. 6 June. Assignment by John Fullerton, citizen and clothworker of London.

Assigning to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant, a share in the Irish adventure, which has fallen in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary. The original investor was William Ball, late of Lincoln's Inn, gentleman, deceased, and his lot has been allowed by the Committee to Wm. Ball, junior son of the aforesaid, now a student in Queen's College, Oxford, who has assigned to the present assignor. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 189.

1642. 20 April. 13 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £250, from Ball, *sen.*, as above. *Each p.* ⅔, *or p.* 1, *one endd. Ibid.* 190–92.

1653. 12 Nov. Deposition by Samuel Ball, "citizen and ymbrotherer, of London, inhabiting in Old Change, London," aged about 38.

William Ball, student in Queen's College, Oxford, is the eldest son and heir of Wm. Ball, deceased. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 193.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Ball, *sen.*, as above, dated 17 Nov., and proved 14 Dec., 1647, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. By this will Alice Ball, his wife, is appointed by the testator sole executrix. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. Ibid.* 193*a*.

1654. 1 April. Assignment by Ball, *jun.*, to Fullerton.

As mentioned above (*No.* 189). *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 194.

1642. 30 May. 18 July. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £85, from the Mayor, &c., of the City. £25 has been paid in through Thomas Smith, of Manchester, and £60 by Thomas Illingworth, of the same. *Each p.* ½ *or p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 195, 196, 198 *and* 199.

1653. 18 Oct. Two certificates, as before, by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Assigning the above respectively to Smith and Illingworth, who have really advanced the monies advanced in the names of the Corporation. *Each p.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 197 *and* 200.

1658. 17 June. Assignment by Sir Thomas Bendyshe, or Bendish, late of Bumpsted [Bumpstead], in Essex, Kt. and Bart.

Assigning to William Barker, of London, Esq., his share in the Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before* Ant. Bokenham, Secretary to Sir Thomas Bendish, Antonio Isaacson, Secretary to the Levant Company in Turkey, and Samuel Rogers, Minister

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at Constantinople. *The hand of Bendish certified by his son John, and that of the witnesses by John Williams, a packer at Mr. Brampton's, in Billiter Lane. S.P. Ireland* 298, 201.

1653. 26 Oct. Certificate by Wm. Eyre, Wm. Shute, and Edward Pierce, Justices for the County of Wilts.

In pursuance of the Act of 26 September, 1653, for satisfaction of the adventurers for lands in Ireland, they certify that James Baynton, one of the adventurers there, who had been a soldier there since the beginning of the rebellion, has been very faithful to the Commonwealth. He has only paid in £150 of his subscription of £200 in the Irish adventure, and is too poor to pay in the remainder. *P.* ½. *Signed and sealed by the Justices, and addressed to the Committee at Grocers' Hall. Ibid.* 202.

1642. 19 April. 19 July. 13 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from James Baynton, Esq., Serjeant-Major to Sir John Paulet's, or Paulett's, regiment. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 203–5.

14 April. 19 July. 13 Oct. Three of same in all for £450, from Sir Edward Bainton, or Baynton, of Bromham, in Wilts., M.P. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 206–208.

1 Nov. Assignment by Sir Edward Baynton, as above.

Assigning his interest in the Irish adventure [*see foregoing*] to his kinsman, James Baynton, in consideration of his having "willingly engaged himself in a military employment against the Irish rebels, which service I desire to promote." The assignee to pay in the £150 necessary to make up assignor's subscription of £600. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 209.

1654. 5 June. Assignment by James Baynton, as above.

Assigning his interest in the Irish investment, amounting in all to £600 (*see above, Nos.* 203–8) for £250, to Richard Tighe, of Dublin, Alderman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *large. Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 210.

9 May. 16 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Thomas Bayly, of Marlborough, in Wiltshire. *P.* ⅔ *each, one endd. Ibid.* 211 *and* 212.

1654. 23 Sep. Assignment by Wm. Shower, of Exeter, in Devon.

Assigning his share of £400 in the Irish adventure to Robert Hammon for £20 paid him. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 213.

165¾. 9 Feb. Receipt by G. Almery, Treasurer, for 3*s.* 4*d.* from Shower, as above, being 1*d.* in the £ upon his adventure for lands in Ireland,

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according to an order of council of July 2, 1653. *P.* ½, *with note* that a lot was drawn for this investment on 15 December, 1653, in the barony and county of Armagh. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 214.

1642. 28 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £40, received from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of William Shower. *P.* 1, *on same page. Ibid.* 215.

1650. 12 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
The foregoing are for sums really advanced by Shower, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 216.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Edward Cropley, of London, Esq., dated 6 March, and proved 30 March, 1648, made no bequest of his Irish adventure, but appointed his son John Cropley, to be his sole executor. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 217.

1653. 13 Dec. Certificate by George Barkham, of London.
He well knew the late Edward Cropley, and John Cropley, now living, is his sole son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed and witnessed. Endd. Ibid.* 218.

1644. 19 and 29 July. 10 Aug. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Edward Cropley, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 219-221.

1653. 25 Nov. Assignment by John Cropley, of Cue [Kew], as above.
Assigning the interest created by the foregoing to Edward Witham, of London, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 222.

1642. 7 May. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from Lady Jane Harrington, of Rand, in Lincolnshire. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 223.

1653. 30 Nov. Bond by James Harrington, of Rand, as above.
He binds himself in £50 to the "Keepers of the Liberties of England" to indemnify them against all future claims in respect of an investment of £25, part of the £50 invested by Lady Jane Harrington. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 224.

28 Nov. Deposition by James Harrington, as above, aged about 30 years.
Lady Jane Harrington adventured £100 for land in Ireland. A receipt for £25, part thereof, has been lost, but has not been converted or assigned to the prejudice of the State. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Harrington *and certified and dated by* Aylett. *Ibid.* 225.

22 Nov. Northampton. Certificate by Lawrence Wollaston, John Maunsell, and Henry Sprigg, mayor, [of Northampton], Justices of the Peace for Northamptonshire.
Lady Jane Harrington, of Clayton, deposed to-day before them that she subscribed £100 for the Irish adventure and paid in £50, but is unable to pay in the remainder. She prays that the first £50 be allowed her. *P.* ½. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Ibid.* 226.

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7 May. 3 Aug. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from James Harrington, as above, and William, his brother. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 227 *and* 228.

1653. 28 Nov. Receipt by Thos. Andrewes for £100, from same. He signs the receipt "according to the authority given me by an act intituled 'an act for the speedy and effectual satisfaction of adventurers for lands in Ireland,'" which empowers him to receive further or completing payments of money "by way of adventure towards the suppression of the late horrid rebellion in Ireland to be satisfied out of the lands of rebels there according to several acts and ordinances of the late Parliament in that behalf made and provided."[1] *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 229.

30 Nov. Assignment by James and William Harrington, his brother. Assigning their share in the Irish adventure to Lady Jane Harrington, as above. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 230.

1642. 16 July. 12 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £20, from John and Thomas Curtis, of East Harptry [East Harptree], in Somerset. *Each p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 231 *and* 233.

4 May. Receipt by Martin Sanford for £10 from same, being part of same adventure with foregoing subscriptions. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Sanford, *whose authority to receive is not stated. Ibid.* 232.

1653. 23 Nov. Same by the Treasurers under the Act for Satisfaction for £40 from John and Thomas Curtis, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 234.

1642. 25 April. 14 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from Peter Langley, of New Inn, in Middlesex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 235 *and* 236.

1653. 24 Nov. Deposition by John Phillips, of New Inn, aged about 46. Peter Langley, as above, is, he believes, identical with the Langley whom he knew. He was "taken to be a bachelor and never married," and had no other brothers or nephew living at the time of his death than John Langley, of the Abbey, near Shrewsbury, and Jonathan his son. He nominated these executors of his last will, and John is reputed to be heir at law to the said late Peter. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Phillips *and certified and dated by* Edwin Arch [?]. *Endd. Ibid.* 237.

1654. 19 Aug. Assignment by John Langley, as above. Assigning the interest for £700, which is allowed him by the Committee of Claims in respect of the adventure of his late brother, Peter, to Thomas Juxon, of London, Esq., for £472 10*s.* paid him. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 238.

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[1] This is the first receipt under the Act of 1653. These receipts are hereinafter calendared for brevity as "Receipts by the Treasurers under the Act for Satisfaction."

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Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

The last will of Peter Langley, as above [*No.* 237], dated 8 April, 1650, and proved 11 Sep., 1651, does not contain any bequest of his share in the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed. S.P. Ireland* 298, 239.

1653. 2 Nov. Certificate of William Sheldon, of St. Mary le Bow, London, silkman.

He well knew Robert Foote, late citizen and grocer of London, now deceased, and John Foote, now living at Stratford Langton, in Essex, merchant, is the eldest son and heir of the said Robert. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Sheldon *before a witness. Ibid.* 240.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Robert Foote, as above, dated 4 Feb., and proved 4 Sep., 1646, contains no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 241.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £100, from Robert Foote, as above. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 242.

165¾. 13 March. Assignment by Samuel Richardson, of Islington, Middlesex.

Assigning to Miles Corbett, Esq., one of the Commissioners [of Parliament] in Ireland, a share in the Irish adventure, which he has by assignment from John Foote, of Stratford Langton, in Essex, son and heir of Robert Foote, deceased, the original investor. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 243.

1653. 21 Nov. Assignment by Foote to Richardson, as mentioned in foregoing. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 244.

165⅘. 19 Feb. Assignment by Roger Pemberton, Esq., and Rebecca his wife, and by Valentine Walton, Esq., and Friscis or Friseis, his wife.

Rebecca and Friscis are co-heirs of John Pym, deceased, and as such have a share in the Irish adventure, for which lots have been drawn and fallen in the barony of Fortulla [Fartulla], co. Westmeath. They and their husbands assign these shares to Robert Walton, citizen and merchant tailor of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by all the assignors. Endd. Ibid.* 245.

1655. 25 May. Assignment by Walton of his interest under the foregoing to John Lock, citizen and blacksmith of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 246.

1642. 15 April. 12 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from John Pym, or Pim. *Each p.* ⅔ *or p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 247–249.

Certificate by Henry Clerke.

John Pim [Pym], of Brill, in Bucks, by his last will, dated 21 Dec., 1643, and proved 28 April, 1644, devised his real property

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to his wife for her life, then to his son [by marriage] John Potter and his daughter Anne, then to their children male, or, failing such, to their children female, and failing them to testator's heirs. He bequeathed his chattels to John and Anne Potter and made them his executors. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Clerke. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 250.

1653. 29 Nov. Deposition by Thomas Capper, of the parish of St. Andrew's Holborn, sadler.

He well knew John Pym, late of Brill, in Bucks. Pym had no son living at the time of his decease but only three daughters—Anne, Rebecca and Friscis. Anne married John Potter, and she and her husband are dead without issue. Rebecca and Friscis, who are married (*as above, No.* 245), are the only reputed daughters and co-heirs of Pym. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Capper *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 251.

30 Sep. Deposition by Humphrey Mackworth, of Sutton, in Salop.

He agreed in 1642 to pay in £1,900 to the Irish adventure for himself and others, and these sums were paid in all save about £114, which remained unpaid owing to the disturbances caused by the war, and to the fact that some of the contributors made default. The acquittances for the sums paid are all lost except two acquittances by the Sheriff of Salop for payment of the first fourth part of the adventure. The shares have not been doubled or converted to the prejudice of the State. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* Mackworth *and certified and dated by* Henry Hursons [?]. *Ibid.* 252.

1 Dec. Receipt by the Treasurers under the Act for Satisfaction[1] for £114 from Mackworth, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Ibid.* 253.

1642. 5 May. Indenture of agreement between John Weld, of Willey, High Sheriff of Salop, and Mackworth, as above.

Declares Mackworth's intention to invest £1,400 for himself and others, and acknowledges receipt of £350, being the first fourth part thereof. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c.*, J. Weld. *Ibid.* 254.

9 May. Same.

Weld declares that Mackworth has subscribed for £500 for himself and others and gives receipt for one-fourth part thereof. *P.* 1 (*parchment*), *&c, as foregoing. Ibid.* 255.

1642. 4 May. Receipt by Martin Sanford for £250 paid in by Sir Francis Popham, Kt., being one-fourth of a sum advanced on behalf of himself and his three sons for purchasing lands in Ulster. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 256.

16 July. 11 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £500, from Sir Francis Popham, of Hounstert [Houndstreet], in Somerset. *Each p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Ibid.* 257 *and* 258.

1653. 23 Nov. One of same under the Act for Satisfaction for £250, from Alexander, son of the late Sir F. Popham, in completion of the investment of £1,000. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 259.

(1) *See p.* 284 *note.*

1653.

25 Nov. Deposition by Nathaniel Smith.

Sir Francis Popham who subscribed to the Irish adventure in 1642 is dead and made no bequest of his share therein by his last will. Alexander Popham, now living, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Smith, *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer, *with a note by* Blomer of 18 April, 1666, in which Blomer (of St. Giles', Cripplegate) certifies that the above deposition was taken before him. *This certificate is in turn certified and dated by* Thos. Estcourt. *In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 260.

1642. 15 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £10, advanced by James Levett, of Kingston, grocer, for the Irish adventure. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 261.

1653. 8 Dec. Certificate by H. Wilcock, Sackford Jonson, and Thomas Haward, Justices of the Peace for Surrey.

Levett, as above, subscribed £20 for the Irish adventure and paid in £10. The late King's forces, however, when they came into that part of the country plundered and pillaged him so that he could not complete the purchase. *P.* ½. *Signed and sealed by the above. Endd. Ibid.* 264.

1642. 11 March. 16 June. 15 Sep. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £75, from Samuel Dabbe, of Threadneedle Street, London, grocer. *Each p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 264, 265 *and* 266.

1653. 6 Dec. One of same by the Treasurers under the Act for Satisfaction for £25, from same. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 267.

8 Dec. Certificate by Wilcock, Jonson and Haward, as above (*No.* 264).

John Child, of Kingston on Thames subscribed £20 for lands in Ireland and paid in part thereof. He was, however, plundered by the King's forces and is not able to complete. *P.* ¾. *Signed and sealed by the above. Ibid.* 268.

1642. 16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £10, from John Child. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 269 *and* 270.

1653. 21 Nov. Certificate by John Hexton, John Waterton and Thomas Pim [? ?].

Thomas Marriott, Meryott or Meriott subscribed £200 for Irish affairs in 1642, and paid in £100 thereof. By reason of many losses and crosses he is unable to complete. *P.* ½. *Signed and sealed by the above. Ibid.* 271.

1642. 25 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from Marriott, as above. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 272.

1653.

2 Dec. Assignment by Marriott.

Assigning the above to John Sweeting, citizen and pewterer of London. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 273.

28 Oct. Certificate by John Kendrick, Thos. Atkin and Thos. Foot, Justices of the Peace for the City of London.

Samuel Harsnett, of London, grocer, deceased, subscribed to the Irish adventure in 1642, and paid in part of the sum subscribed. He left behind him so small an estate that his wife is not able to complete the subscription. *P.* ¾. *Signed and sealed by the above. Ibid.* 274.

7 Dec. Certificate by Martha Dry and Elizabeth Harsnett.

Samuel Harsnett, late of London, grocer, before his death gave all his estate, real and personal, to his wife, except 20*s.*, which he desired his wife to give to his son; and that [was given] to bar the son from any other share or interest in the father's estate. *P.* ½. *Signed by the certifiers. Endd. Ibid.* 276.

1642. 7 May. Receipt by Joseph Denham for £50 paid in by Samuel Hastnet [Harsnett]. Joseph Denham receives it as servant to Maurice Thompson, who has been appointed Treasurer by the Committee for the additional supply of shipping for Ireland. *P.* ½, *followed by* certificate, dated 25 Nov., 1653, by Thomson that this money is accounted for with the State by the Committee of additional forces by sea for Ireland. *Endd. Ibid.* 276*a.*

1654. 11 July. Assignment by Ruth Harsnett.

Assigning her share in Irish land, which has fallen by lot in the barony of Garrycastle, King's Co., to John Marriott, citizen and merchant-tailor of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Harsnett *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 277.

1653. 25 Nov. Bond by Humphry Abdy, of London, merchant.

He binds himself to the Keepers of the Liberties of England in £1,000 to indemnify the Government against all claims in respect of an investment of Serjeant-Major Roper in the Irish adventure. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 278.

1643. 8 Aug. Assignment by Serjeant-Major Christopher Roper.

Assigning to Humphry Abdy, of London, draper, his interest in the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 279.

1653. 29 Nov. Deposition by Abdy, as above.

By an order of the Committee of the late House of Commons and Adventurers in London for the relief of Ireland, dated 5 Aug., 1643, Roper, as above, subscribed for part of his pay due to him for his Irish service to be set off on account—the sum of £500—according to an ordinance of 14 July, 1643. He elected to take £200 in Waterford and the remainder elsewhere. He has set over these sums to Abdy [*see foregoing*]. The receipts for this sum are lost. Deponent has not assigned or transferred them. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Abdy *and certified and dated by* John Page.

1654.

18 Aug. Assignment by Humphrey Abdy, as above.

Assigning his interest in Irish land [*see No.* 279 *above*] to Robert Parkhurst, of Purford, in Surrey. It has fallen by lot in the barony of Connello. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 281.

1653. 3 Dec. Bond by Joshua Pedder, of Marston, in Bedford.

He binds himself in £200 to indemnify the Keepers of the Liberty of England against all future claims in respect of a sum advanced for Ireland by his brother Matthew. The acquittances for this sum are lost. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 282.

165¾. 3 March. Certificate by same.

His brother adventured for Ireland in 1642. The acquittances for his subscription have not been doubled or in any way made use of as a debt from the Commonwealth. *P.* ½. *Certified and dated by* John Crook. *Ibid.* 283.

1653. 6 Oct. Deposition by John Iremonger.

Mathew Pedder, now deceased, did not make any assignment or bequest of his interest in the Irish adventure. William Pedder, now living, is his eldest brother and so lawful heir. *P.* ¾. *Certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 283*a*.

1653. 27 Aug. Assignment by Wm. Pedder, of Dagnall, in Buckingham, yeoman.

Assigning to Joshua Pedder all his interest in the adventure of William's brother Mathew Pedder, deceased. *Pp.* 1⅓. *Signed, &c., before witnesses, and followed by—*

Certificate by Duling Salmon that Mathew Pedder, by his last will dated about 8 Jan., and proved 21 Mar., 164⁸⁄₉, made no demise of his Irish adventure. *P.* ½, *in all, pp.* 1¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 284.

1654. 17 April. Indenture of agreement between Joshua Pedder, as above, and Robert Hammon, of London, merchant.

Joshua assigns his interest of £100 in the Irish adventure for which lots have fallen in the Co. Down, in Ulster, to Robert Hammon for £57. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by* Pedder. *Endd. with* receipt by Iremonger, as above (*No.* 283*a*), for £57 paid him by Robert Hammon, dated 12 June, 1654. *Ibid.* 285.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Robert Swinock, late of Maidstone, deceased, by his last will, dated 26 May, 1648, and proved 9 April, 1650, left his undevised lands, &c., to his son, John Swinock. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 286.

1642. 16 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £250, from Robert Swinock, or Swynocke, of Maidstone, in Kent, gentleman. *P.* ½. *Endd. with—*

1642.

Note that the following are partaken in the adventure of £1,200 entered in the name of John Bigg, of Maidstone:—

John Bigg. George Haule, of Maidstone.
Richard Crispe, of Maidstone. Robert Swynoke, of same.
James Smyth, of Friday Street, London, salter.

In all, p. 1. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 287.

1653. 13 Dec. Deposition of Robert Joseph, of Dartford, in Kent, aged about 48.

He well knew Robert Swinock, as above, deceased. John Swinock, late of Woolwich was his eldest son. This son died in August, 1652, and left two daughters, Elizabeth and Sarah, who are his co-heirs. *P.* ½ *signed; and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Endd. Ibid.* 288.

1650. 10 June. Assignment by Thos. Rogers, of Dartford, in Kent.

Assigning to Anne Round, widow, of Dartford, £50 [*see following*]. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 289.

1642. 30 June. 30 Dec. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. Rogers, of Dartford. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 290 *and* 291.

1650. 8 Nov. Further assignment by Rogers, as above.

Assigning £50 to John Round, of Dartford, yeoman. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 292.

1658. 26 March. Same by same.

Assigning a share of £100 in the Irish adventure to John Mosyer, of the Inner Temple, in return for £38 paid him. The lot therefor has fallen in the barony of Ileagh, Co. Tipperary. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. with—*

Same. Certificate by John and Israel Round, Wm. Pettit and Richard Moore.

On receiving £19 6*s.* 3*d.* from Mosyer for the children hereunder mentioned, and on receipt by John Round of the same sum for himself, they assent and agree to the within written deed, both as to the claim of John Round and as to that of the children or heirs of Thomas and Anne Round, deceased, for whom they are entrusted. *In all, pp.* 1⅛. *Ibid.* 293.

1654. 30 Sep. Indenture of agreement between John Fillingham, of Nottingham, and Mary his wife, and Wm. Taylor, of the same, coverlet-weaver.

Mary was the wife of the late Thos. Woolley, of Nottingham, deceased, who adventured a sum for lands in Ireland. John and Mary assign this sum to Taylor. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed by the* Fillinghams, *&c., before witnesses. Endd. with note appended as to the share of the Fillinghams. Ibid.* 294.

1647.

20 July. Declaration by Gilbert Millington, of Felley, in Notts.

Of the £1,275 which he has undertaken to advance for the Irish adventure, Mary, widow of Thomas Wolley, of Nottingham, ironmonger, advanced £50. Millington covenants that she shall enjoy a full proportion of land in Ireland accordingly. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 295.

1653. 8 Nov. Exeter. Certificate by Ferdinando Nicolls, minister, James Marshall and Christopher Parke, *junior*.

John Gupwell, of Exeter, adventured a sum for Ireland through the Mayor, &c., of Exeter. He bequeathed this adventure to Elizabeth Durant by a will proved Nov. 15, 1643, and made her sole executrix. William Durrant, or Durant, of Oxton, who adventured a sum in a similar way, gave it to the same lady, his sister, by a will made 18 Sep., 1650. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 296.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 15 Nov. 164⅔. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of John Gupwell, silkweaver. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 297.

Same dates. Four of same by same, in all for £5, paid through Wm. Durrant, of Oxton. *On two pages. Ibid.* 298 *and* 299.

1653. 1 Nov. Glanvill's Wotton, Dorset. Certificate by Thomas Mews and John Hodges.

William Durant, of Poole, mercer, made his last will on 18 Sep., 1650, and gave his adventure in Ireland to his sister.

They are ready to depose to the truth of this. *P.* ½. Add.: "To his very loving friend Elizabeth Durant, these. With speed. Exon," and "Deliver this at Mr. Rode's his house in Stoke." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 300.

8 Dec. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The receipts [*Nos.* 297–299] are for sums really the property of Gupwell and Durant, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 301.

17 Aug. Certificate by John Chapman, Mayor of Chard, and John Atkins, J.P. for that borough.

Aaron Atkins and John Baylie, both late of Chard, in Somerset, deceased, adventured sums for lands in Ireland. William Atkins, of Chard, clothier, is the lawful son and heir of Aaron, and John Baylie the lawful son and heir of John Baylie the elder. *P.* ½. *Signed and with seal of the borough. Ibid.* 302.

1642. 30 May. 20 Aug. 10 Nov. 164⅔. 30 Jan. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Aaron Atkins, as above. *On three pages. Pp.* 2½, *one endd. Ibid.* 303–5.

1642.
30 May.
19 Aug.
11 Nov.
164⅔.
3 Feb.

Same, in all for £25, paid in by Peter Atkins, of Tiverton. *On three pages. Pp.* 2. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 307–9.

1653.
30 Sep.
10 Oct.

Two of the usual certificates by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, assigning the foregoing (303–5 *and* 307–9) to Aaron and Peter Atkins. *Each p.* ⅔, *each with seal of the city. Ibid.* 306 *and* 310.

1642.
30 May.
17 Aug.
15 Nov.
164⅔.
3 Feb.

Four receipts, as above [*Nos.* 303-5], in all for £50, paid in by John Seward, of Axmouth. *On three pages. Pp.* 2. *Ibid.* 311-313.

1650.
12 Nov.

Usual certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, in favour of Seward. *P.* 1, *with seal. Ibid.* 314.

1653.
6 Dec.

Certificate by Simon Snowe, Mayor of Exeter.

Thomas Combe, of Stoke, in Devon, and William Musgrave, of Broad Clist, in the same, to-day deposed before him that William Seager, of Broad Clist, paid in £50 for the Irish adventure to the Sheriff of Exeter in 1642, and that he did not double, assign, or bequeath this share, and the receipt therefor is lost. John Seager, now of Broad Clist, is the eldest son of William Seager and his heir. *P.* ½, *with seal of the mayoralty of Exeter, "used in such cases." Ibid.* 315.

8 Dec.

Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The share mentioned in the foregoing does not belong to them, but to John Seager, as above. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 316.

1654.
10 July.

Assignment by Robert Thomas, late of Kingston-on-Thames.

Assigning a share of £25 in the Irish adventure to James Levitt, or Levett, of Kingston-on-Thames, mercer. His lot has fallen in the barony of Lune, co. Meath. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 317.

1642.
16 April.
20 July.

Two receipts by George Price, Sheriff of Surrey, in all for £25, from Robert Thomas, as above. *P.* ⅓ *and p.* ½. *Ibid.* 319 *and* 320.

1655.
28 Nov.

Assignment by Thomas.

He assigns his interest (as stated in foregoing) to James Levett, of Kingston, mercer. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 318.

1653.

8 Dec. Certificate of Wilcock, Jonson and Haward, Justices for Surrey.

Robert Thomas, who subscribed for £50 in the Irish adventure and paid in £25, was so plundered by the King's party that he is unable to complete his subscription. *P.* ⅔. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 321.

Same. Deposition by Levett.

John Bond, of Kingston, subscribed for lands in Ireland. His receipts have been lost and have not been doubled or used for profit. *P.* ½. *Signed; and certified and dated by* Blomer. *Ibid.* 322.

Same. Further deposition by same.

Bond, as above, is dead, and made no disposal or bequest of his Irish adventure. He left behind him four daughters—Elizabeth, Hannah [*and two unnamed*]. They are his co-heirs. *P.* ½, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 323.

Same. Certificate by Wilcock, Jonson and Haward, as above [*No.* 321].

Bond paid in £10 out of £20 subscribed. He was pillaged by the King's party, and could not complete. His heir is now too poor to do so. *P.* ½, *as No.* 321. *Ibid.* 324.

Same. Deposition of John Hollis, of Kingston-on-Thames.

James Knowles subscribed £25 for lands in Ireland and paid in £12 10*s*. He made no disposal or bequest of his interest. James Knowles, now living, is his only son. *P.* ¾. *Signed and certified and dated by* Blomer. *Ibid.* 325.

Same. Certificate by Wilcock, Jonson and Haward.

Knowles subscribed as stated above, but was pillaged by the King's forces, and left so small an estate that his widow or heir cannot complete. *P.* ⅔. *Signed and sealed. Ibid.* 327.

1642. 16 April. 9 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Surrey for £12 10*s*., from James Knowles. *Each pp.* 1½. *Ibid.* 328–9.

19 April. 9 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Wm. Betsworth, of "Feltam," [Felpham] in Sussex, blacksmith. *P.* ⅔, *the last with a note to* Betsworth to complete his payment within a month. *Ibid.* 326, 330 *and* 331.

1653. 22 Nov. Certificate by Thomas Stafford, pastor of Lurgashall, Sussex, and John Saunders and John Hogsflesh, churchwardens.

Richard Betsworth, late of Lurgashall, in Sussex, had amongst other children three sons born and baptised there. Richard was baptised there on 25 July, 1613, John on Jan. 21, 161⅚, and William on Aug. 15, 1619. *P.* ½. *Signed by the Vicar and churchwardens. Ibid.* 332.

24 Nov. Deposition by Richard Betsworth, of East Havant, Sussex.

Wm. Betsworth, late of Feltam, advanced a sum for land in Ireland in 1642. He is since dead, intestate, and had no son. His reputed eldest brother is Richard Betsworth, now living. *P.* ½. *Signed; and certified and dated by* Blomer. *Ibid.* 333.

1653.

24 Nov. Bond by Richard Betsworth, as above.

He binds himself in £100 to the Keepers of the Liberties of England to secure them against all future claims in respect of the adventure of Wm. Betsworth, as above. *P.* ¾. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 334.

Same. Power of Attorney by same.

Empowering Duling Salmon to draw a lot for him for the share which he has as heir to William Betsworth. Ratification clause "rattisfieing [*sic*] and confirming," &c., whatever the agent may do in this matter. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 335.

165¾. 7 Feb. Assignment by Gilbert Clare, of Exeter, joiner.

Assigning to George Clerke, of London, merchant, his share in Irish land, which has fallen in the Co. Meath. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 336.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of Clare, as above. *P.* ½ *and p.* ¾. *Ibid.* 337–8.

1653. 8 Dec. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums really the property of Clare, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 338.

20 Dec. Assignment by Nicholas Gould, of London, merchant.

Assigning to John Young, of London, merchant, a share in the Irish adventure, which he has by assignment from Elizabeth Blake, of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 339.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £10 from Elizabeth Blake, "of Brixham" in Devon. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 341.

7 July. Same for same from Francis Thorpe, servant to Serjeant-Major Skippon. *Ibid.* 340.

1650. 9 Dec. Assignment by Elizabeth Blake, "of the City of Westminster, spinster."

Assigning her bill in the Irish adventure to Nicholas Gould, of London, Esq. Full covenants for enabling Gould to get, keep and enjoy the bill. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 342.

165¾. 12 Jan. Assignment by Anthony Stringer, of London, gentleman.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Thomas Rider, of London, "merchant." *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 343.

1642.

30 April. 5 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from Anthony Stringer, "of London, gentleman." *Each p.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 298, 245 *and* 346.

1653. 26 Dec. Receipt by Alderman Andrewes under the Act for Satisfaction for £50, from Anthony Stringer, "of Clement's Danes," by the hands of Thos. Ryder. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 344.

1654. 2 May. Indenture of agreement between Thomas Rider, of London, merchant, and Thomas Vincent, of Peckham, in Surrey.

Rider assigns to Vincent a share in the Irish adventure which he has by assignment from Anthony Stringer, and for which lots have fallen in the barony of Stradbally, Queen's Co. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Ryder *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 347.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £200, from Richard Culmer, clerk. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 349.

1644. 1 June. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from the same, "of the City of Canterbury, clerk." *P.* ½. *Endd. with following note by* Culmer :—

"I have left £6 more in the Irish lands as it appears in the record of the money to that purpose in the parish of St. Margaret's, Canterbury. I paid it in plate and money up the stairs at the first door on the right hand after you enter the Guildhall in London. I was promised an acquittance." *Ibid.* 348.

1642. 9 May. 15 Aug. 18 Nov. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £450, from Thomas Hoyle, of York, M.P. *Each p.* ⅔, *two endd., one with note* that £600 has been allowed to Hoyle's widow on her promising to hold the State harmless against all future claims. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 350, 352 *and* 353.

1653. 8 Dec. Receipt by Alderman Andrewes under the Act for Satisfaction for £150, from Susan, administratrix of Thomas Hoyle, late Alderman of York. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 351.

1654. 29 July. Assignment by Dame Susan Hoyle, of Kirksandhall, in Yorkshire, relict of Thos. Hoyle, as above.

She assigns her whole share of £600 to George Peacock, of York, merchant. It has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses by* Susan Hoyle. *Endd. Ibid.* 354.

165¾. 20 Jan. Bond by Richard Yong, or Young, of Lombard Street, London, mercer.

He binds himself in £200 to Thomas Bladen, of Rainham, in Kent, to keep all the covenants and conditions contained in an assignment of the above date. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 355.

165¾.

3 Jan. Further bond by Young, as in foregoing.

He binds himself in £200 to the Protector Cromwell to indemnify them against all future claims in respect of a subscription by John Young, as above, in the Irish adventure. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 298, 356.

Same. Deposition by Richard Young, as above, aged about 65.

John Young, late of Lombard Street, draper, subscribed and paid in a sum for land in Ireland in 1642. The receipts therefor are lost. He has been told, and believes, that John Young died in Barbadoes. He did not assign his share in the Irish adventure and has no issue of his body. Deponent is his only brother and heir. *P.* 1, *dated and signed by* Thos. Benet [?]. *Ibid.* 357.

20 Jan. Assignment by Richard Young, as above.

Assigning his share [*see foregoing*] which has fallen in the barony of Armagh to Thomas Bladen, of Rainham, in Kent. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 358, *ad fin.*

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S.P. IRELAND 299.

1642.

4 May. Receipt by Martin Sanford, Sheriff of [Somerset], for £40 from Thomas Hippesley, John Buckland and John Stockler. This, with £10 paid by them to his under sheriff, James Osmond, makes up a fourth part of the adventure of £200 according to the provisions of the Act. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 1.

25 Oct. 164⅔. 19 Jan. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Buckland. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 2 *and* 5.

1653. 24 Dec. Receipt under the Act of Satisfaction for £12 10*s.*, from same, of Westharptree, in Somerset, by the hands of Joseph Periam. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 3.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 17 Nov. 164⅔. 18 April. Four of same by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £5, received from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through Elizabeth Holcombe, or Holcam, of St. Sidwell's [Parish, Exeter], widow. *On two pages. Pp.* 1½, *one endd. Ibid.* 4 *and* 6.

1653. 20 Dec. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for money really the property of Elizabeth Holcombe, who may dispose of them. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 7.

1654.

1 July. Assignment by Elizabeth Holcombe, as above.

She assigns her share in Irish land which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 8.

7 Feb. Assignment by John Carwithen, of Exeter.

Assigning to George Clerke, of London, merchant, the share in Irish land which he has as son and heir of Nicholas Carwithen, deceased. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 9.

1642. 28 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Nicholas Carwithen. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 10.

1653. 29 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums the property of Carwithen, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 11.

164$\frac{2}{3}$. 13 Feb. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £5, from Michael Ashton. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 12.

Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Grace Heathcott, of Calthorpe, widow, subscribed £50 for the Irish adventure in April, 1642, and paid in £25. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Ibid.* 13.

Notes of bills belonging to Edmund Wagstaff, Michael Ashton, Ellen Wagstaff and Richard Booth, of Chancery Lane, in the parish of St. Dunstan in the West. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$, *fragmentary. Ibid.* 14.

1642. 30 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £65 from Anthony, John, Edmund and Helen Wagstaff, Mrs. Grace Heathcott, Heathcoate, or Heathcote, widow, and John Ashton, all of Co. Derby. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 15.

2 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 13 Feb. Two of same, in all for £20, from Edmund Wagstaff, of Callow, in Derbyshire. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 16 *and* 17.

1642. 19 July. One of same for £40 from Grace Heathcote, Ellen Wagstaff, Edmund Wagstaff, and Michael Ashton, all of Derbyshire. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 18.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 1 March. Certificate by Nathaniel Hallowes, Thos. Sandars and Ger. Bennett, Justices of the Peace for Derbyshire.

The late Act for Satisfaction of Adventurers for lands in Ireland provided that those who have not paid in their subscription in full and are too poor to complete shall get a certificate under the hands and seals of three Justices of the Peace stating that they are too poor. It provided that on sending in such certificate such poor persons should be entitled to be allotted so much land as their actual payments justified. Grace Heathcott, of Calthorpe, only paid in £25 of her adventure of £50. We certify, as above, that she is too poor to complete. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Endd. Ibid.* 19.

1654.

11 May. Assignment by Wm. Byrd, of London, painter-stainer.

Assigning a share in Irish land, for which the lot has fallen in the barony of Eliogarty, co. Tipperary, to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *S.P. Ireland* 299, 20.

1643. 18 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £10, from Bird, or Byrd, as above. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 21.

1642. 4 April. 19 July. Three of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Page, of Roxie [Roxeth] in the parish of Harrow, in Middlesex. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 22–24.

1653. 1 Aug. Assignment by Thomas Page, of Gray's Inn, eldest son and heir of Thomas Page, as above, deceased.

Assigning the share in Irish land which he has from his father to Robert Butler, of the parish of St. Andrew, in High Holborn, cordwainer. This he does to pay his debt to Butler and to satisfy a bond of £20, due to Thomas Walker, of Harrow. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 25.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Thomas Page the elder, as above, contains no demise of his share in the Irish land. Will dated 26 March, 1642, and proved 1 Aug., 1653. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Salmon. *Ibid.* 26.

Deposition by Thos. Cooper, of the Parish of St. Andrew, Holborn.

Thomas Page the elder, as above, paid in £100 for his subscription in Irish affairs. He is since deceased and Thos. Page the younger, as above, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Cooper *and certified by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 27.

29 Nov. Assignment by Robert Butler, as above [*No.* 25].

Assigning his share of £100 in Irish land, which he has by assignment from Thos. Page the younger, and which has fallen in the barony of Morgallion, co. Meath, to Thos. Randes, of South Hickham, in Lincolnshire, for £100 paid him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 28.

1654. 9 May. Assignment by Randes of his share, as in foregoing, to Thomas Clerke, of Wyllowby [Willoughby], in Warwick. *P.* 1 (*large*), *as foregoing.* *Ibid.* 29.

1642. 22 June. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25 from Ralph Trettell, or Trattle, of London, fishmonger. *P.* ½. *Endd. with*—

(1) Assignment of the bill by "Tratle" to his brother-in-law Francis Marshall, of London, cheesemonger, dated 14 July, 1652.

(2) Assignment of same by Marshall to his brother-in-law Major Wm. Puckle, dated 16 July, 1653. *Both these assignments signed, &c., before witnesses.* *The whole pp.* 1¼. *Ibid.* 31.

1653. 24 Dec. Receipt under the Act of Satisfaction for £25 from Ralph Trattle, of London, fishmonger. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 30.

165¾.

10 Jan. Bond by Wm. Puckle, of London, merchant.

He binds himself to the Protector in £100 to indemnify him against all damage in respect of two receipts given to Ralph Trattle, of London, fishmonger [*see the two foregoing*]. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 299, 32.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

13 July. Trattle, as above, paid in £75 out of his adventure of £100 in 1642. He affirms that his receipts are lost, except one for £25. Certificate accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed. Endd. with* assignment by Trattle to Major Wm. Puckle, as above, of his share, as within, dated 16 July, 1653, *and signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, pp.* 1½. *Ibid.* 33.

164⅞. Further certificate by same.

6 Jan. Sir Wm. Brereton, Kt., subscribed £1,200 for the Irish adventure and paid in £900 thereof. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before a witness. Endd. Ibid.* 34.

L. Maychoell to Lord ———.

I made this certificate [*the foregoing*] on searching the books, and Alderman Andrewes has signed it. *P.* ½. *Endd. generally, and also with note* that Mr. Tufnaile lies in Lincoln's Inn Fields near the *Plough Inn* at Mr. Bentley's, and that Mr. Bouchier at Capt. Beaumont's at the Sign of the *Golden Lion* in Cheapside. *Ibid.* 35.

1642. Two receipts, one from "Sir Wm. Brereton, Kt.," and the other

16 July. from "Sir Wm. Brereton, Bart.," M.P., each for £300, by the

20 Nov. Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament. *Each p.* ½ *and endd. Ibid.* 36 *and* 37.

1653. Receipt under the Act for Satisfaction for £300, from same, by

24 Dec. the hands of Thomas Edwards, his servant. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 38.

1654. Assignment by Sir Wm. Brereton, Bt., of Handforth, in Chester,

12 June. late M.P.

The lot for his share in the Irish adventure [*see foregoing*] has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary. He assigns to Robert Blease, of Hargreave, in Cheshire, £50, part of that share, in consideration of the fact that Blease advanced £50 as part of the assignor's subscription. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 39.

Same. Further assignment by same.

Similar to foregoing, but assigning a share of £100 in favour of Nathaniel Lancaster, of Tarporley, in Cheshire, clerk, who advanced £100 as part of Brereton's adventure. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 39*a*.

Same. Three of same making assignments as follows:—

£50 to John Jones, of Marple, in Cheshire, clerk; £100 to Jane Done, daughter and one of the co-heirs of Sir John Done, Kt., deceased; £100 to Humphrey Kelsall, of "Burlaughton," [Burlaton]

1654.

in Staffordshire, son of Reginald Kelsall, late of Sharston, Cheshire, deceased, the father having advanced such sum as part of Brereton's adventure. *Each p.* 1, *&c., as the foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 299, 40–42.

12 June. Further assignment by the same.

By an agreement of 25 Nov., 1653, between Wm. Siddell, Wm. Thompson, Ralph Miller, Roger Rixton, and Wm. Brown, of Cheshire, yeoman, Richard Neild, of Lea Hall, in Lancaster, yeoman, Robert Bancroft, of Manchester, tailor, and Elizabeth Hulme, one of the daughters and executrices of the last will of Humfrey Hulme, late of Winslow, in Cheshire, deceased, Richard Davenport, of same, and Jane, his wife, who is another of the daughters and executrices of the said Humphrey, Wm. Davenport, of same, and Mary, his wife, who is another daughter and executrix of the same, of the one part, and Samuel Eaton, of Harden Hall, in Cheshire, clerk, of the other part, it was agreed that Eaton should enjoy such part of the land assigned in respect of Sir Wm. Brereton's adventure for Irish land as should fall to each and all of the other parties. With the consent of the other parties and because they and Eaton have paid in £120, as part of his adventure, Sir William assigns to Eaton £120 worth of the land which shall be allotted to him. Usual covenants. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 43.

1642. 16 April. 6 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Sir Wm. Drake, Kt. and Bt., M.P., and Gabriel Becke, of Lincoln's Inn. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 44–46.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 12 Jan. Assignment by Richard Shaxton, of London, fishmonger.

Assigning his share in Irish land to John Weeden, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 47.

1643. 2 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers of 19 June and 14 July, 1643[1] for £10, from Shaxton, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 48.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 4 March. Assignment by John Weeden, citizen and grocer of London.

Assigning to Edward Witham, of London, gent., the share in Irish land which he has by an assignment from Shaxton, and which has fallen in Westmeath. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 49.

1642. 6 May. 26 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Richard Shuttleworth, of "Gauthrope" [Gawthorpe], or of Barton, in Lancashire. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 50 *and* 51.

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(1) The form of this receipt differs slightly from those previous to it—mentioning the ordinance of 19 June, 1643.

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11 Nov. One of same under the Act for Satisfaction for £150, from same. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 52.

165¾. 5 Jan. Certificate by John Starkie and Randle Sharples, two Justices of the Peace for Lancashire.

Richard Shuttleworth, of "Gawthropp," in Lancashire, to-day deposed before them that he subscribed £600 for the Irish adventure and that he can produce receipts for £450 thereof, but that the receipt for the remainder is lost. Shuttleworth hopes he may be credited with the whole sum. He has not doubled or made profitable use of his share. *P.* 1. *Signed by the Justices. Endd. Ibid.* 53.

10 Jan. Bond by Richard Booth, of Chancery Lane, London, gentleman.

He binds himself in £300 to the Protector Cromwell to indemnify him against all future claims in respect of the lost receipt of £150 belonging to Richard Shuttleworth, of Barton, in Lancs. [*see foregoing*]. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 54.

1653. 12 Dec. Certificate by John Hoxton, John Waterton and William Northey, Justices of the Peace for Middlesex.

Stephen Offley, of Middlesex, is too poor to complete his subscription for lands in Ireland and is therefore capable to receive the benefit granted in the late Act of Parliament. *P.* ¼. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Ibid.* 55.

1642. 28 March. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Stephen Offley, of London, merchant-tailor. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 55*a and* 55*b*.

165¾. 13 Jan. Assignment by Offley, as above.

Assigning his share, as above, in consideration of £67 paid him, to James Webster, *jun.*, of Ashover, in Derby. His lot has fallen in co. Tipperary. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 56.

1654. 18 April. Bond by John Harrison, of the Middle Temple, London.

He binds himself in £900 to Edward Smith, citizen and sadler of London, as security for the carrying out of the covenants and conditions contained in a deed of assignment of this date made by the giver of the bond as assignee of Sir John Harrison, Kt., and as eldest brother and heir of Wm. Harrison, deceased, to the same Edward Smith. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 57.

Same. Assignment by Harrison to Smith, as mentioned in foregoing.

He assigns his share of £450, which has fallen in the barony of English, to Smith. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 58.

18 Sep. Deposition by John Harrison, of the Middle Temple, London.

The certificate granted him by Methusaleh Turner and others of the Committee for Claims for lands in Ireland and dated 11 May last for lands in the barony of English, and delivered to Geoffrey

1654.

Toulson for the use of deponent on 29 May last, was never sent into Ireland, neither is the same recorded in Dublin, in Ireland, nor made use of by deponent for his profit. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Harrison *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 59.

1653. 11 June. Same by same, "son of Sir John Harrison, of Balls, in Herts., Kt., and eldest brother and heir of Wm. Harrison, late of Balls, deceased."

Sir John subscribed £1,200 for Ireland in 1642, and paid in £300; and Wm. Harrison subscribed £600 and paid in £150. The receipts are lost and have not been doubled or used for profit. Wm. Harrison died in 1643 intestate and without heirs, and deponent is his lawful heir. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Harrison *and certified and dated by* Edmund Rich [?]. *Ibid.* 60.

15 Nov. Certificate by Edward Bulstrode, R. Sankey, and Wm. Powell, *alias* Hinson, Justices of the Peace in the city of Westminster.

Sir John Harrison, Kt., subscribed by himself and his son certain sums for Ireland in 1642, and his son Wm. Harrison, *jun.*, paid in £450, credit for which has come to the said son. We certify that he is too poor to complete the payment. *P.* 1. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

1643. 28 July. Assignment by Sir John Harrison, Kt.

He assigns his interest in Ireland to his son, John Harrison. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 62.

165¾. 7 Jan. Deposition by John Harrison, *jun.*

Recites facts stated in the foregoing documents. He has not transferred his interest in the share which he has from his father. He does not know that Sir John Harrison assigned to anyone else any part of his interest and thinks that all that interest is now in himself, the son. *Pp.* 1½. *Signed by deponent and certified and dated by* Edward Eltonhed [?]. *Endd. Ibid.* 62.

1653. 20 Dec. Power of attorney by Margaret Bennett, of Tiverton, in Devon, widow, executrix of the last will of John Bennett, of same, her late son.

Authorising Bernard Tremlett, citizen and merchant of London, to draw the lot for her which belongs to her by virtue of her executrixship of her son John. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Margaret Bennett *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 64.

1642. 24 Sep. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £60, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, paid in at several times between 24 May and 20 July, 1642, by the hands of John Bennett, of Tiverton. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 65.

1653. 20 Dec. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing is for money really the property of Bennett, who, or his heirs, &c., may dispose of it accordingly. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 66.

1642. 31 March. 1 Nov. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Thomas Morton, of Croydon, in Surrey. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 67–8.

1654.

28 Nov. Assignment by Morton, as above.
Assigning his share, as above, for which lots have fallen in the East Quarter No. 1 of the barony of Iffa and Offa, to John Dawson, of the Inner Temple, London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 69.

1642.
30 April.
19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £150, from John Harris, of London, girdler. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 70–72.

165⅘. Assignment by Harris, as above.
20 Feb. Assigning his share, as above, lots for which have fallen in the barony of Dunluce, co. Antrim, to John Fisher, of London, gentleman. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large, parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 73.

1642.
6 April.
14 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Wm. Priaulx, minister, of Rusper, in Sussex. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 74–76 *and* 78.

164⅔.
17 Jan.
23 Nov.

9 April.
19 July. Two of same, in all for £75, from Tobias Randolph, of London, clerk and school-master of the Ratcliffe Free School. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 77 *and* 81.

1653.
24 Dec. One of same under the Act for Satisfaction for £25, from T. Randolph. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 79.

1642.
30 May.
17 Aug. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £14, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Wm. May, of the same, "lanthorn-maker." *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 80, 82 *and* 83.

1643.
16 April.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
23 Aug. The foregoing are for sums really the property of May, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 84.

1642.
30 May.
22 Aug. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Susan, or Susana Fleming. *On same page. P.* 1. *Ibid.* 85.

18 Nov.

164⅔.
3 March.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.
14 Oct. The foregoing receipts are for sums advanced by Susan "Flemmon," who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 87.

1653.

21 Dec. Deposition by Bernard Hopkins.

Susana Fleming, of Bickford, who advanced £10 for the Irish adventure, is since dead. She made no assignment or bequest of her share in the adventure. John Fleming, now living, is her eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Hopkins *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 86.

1642. 30 April. 18 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from George Starr, of Sherborne, in Dorset, and Wm. Allen, of Ditchett, in the same county. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 88 *and* 89.

Certificate by Edward Penney.

He is an executor of the last will of Starr, as above, made 28 Aug., 1647. By this will Starr gave his share in the Irish adventure to his nephew John, son of his brother John; or if the nephew died under 21, then (less one-fifth) to his sisters [*sic*] children who should be living at the time of that nephew's decease. His sister's name was Susan Pitman. *P.* ¾. *Signed. Ibid.* 90.

1657. 4 April. Opinion by Thos. Wise [?].

He has examined Colonel Starr's will and is of opinion that, after payment of his debts, &c., a fifth part of his share in the Irish adventure and of his other property is given to Alice, sister of Col. Starr, since the nephew, John Starr, died within the age of 21 years. He is of opinion that the rest of his estate in Ireland and elsewhere is equally to be divided between all the children of Col. Starr's sisters who should be living at the time of the nephew's decease. The reason is because that clause of the devise refers to the whole estate of Col. Starr, which includes the adventure, being part of this estate as if it had been particularly named. *P.* ½ (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 91.

Certificate by John Chaffin.

Col. George Starr, late of Sherborne, in Dorset, died without issue. His nephew also died, being an infant not above 13 years. At the time when the nephew and heir died, Wm. Chetmill, Elizabeth Chetmill, now wife of Thomas Eyres, Evie Chetmill, Rebecca Chetmill, now wife of Wm. Oldish, Susanna Chetmill, John Chetmill (since dead) and Hannah Chetmill, the sons and daughters of John and Elizabeth Chetmill (Elizabeth being one of the sisters of the said George Starr) were all living. William Pitman, Rebecca Pitman, Richard Pitman (since deceased), were the sons and daughter of Richard Pitman and Susan, his late wife (Susan being another of the sisters of the said George Starr) and were also living at the time of the heir's decease. No other of the sisters or brothers (of Col. Starr) and no children of any such other sisters or brothers, were living at the time of the decease of the heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Chaffin *in the presence of* Edward Penney, of Bradford Abbas, in Dorset, and Wm. Samson, of Sherb[orne?,] near the same, and *underwritten with*—

1657.

8 June. Note by Ri. Bury.

He knows Captain John Chafin, or Chaffin, now postmaster of Cherborn [Sherborne?], Edward Penney, or Pennie, of Bradford, and Wm. Sansom, of Sherborn. They are of worth and credit. *In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 92.

164$\frac{6}{7}$. Assignment by William Allen, as above [*Nos.* 88 *and* 89].

4 Feb. Assigning to George Starr his share in their joint adventure, in pursuance of an agreement made between them. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 93.

Date of will 1647. 28 Aug. Copy of extract from the will of Col. George Starr.

He gives £5 to the poor of Bradford, £5 to the poor of Sherborne, to his servant John Young a green suit and cloak and pair of pistols, to his old servant George King £5, to his friend and kinsman George Masters his suit and cloak, his watch, case of pistols and rapier and his Latin Bible, to his sister Chetmill £40, to his brother Chetmill his grey gelding and his best bridle and saddle, to his sister Alice £30, to his friend Edward Penny his alarm, his black pair of boots and his new laced lameing [?], to his "noble friend" Col. Bingham his best scarlet coat and all the rest of his linen and woollen clothes, not otherwise bequeathed to his sister Chetmill. He gives his silk stockings, suit of arms and sword to his friend Edward Penny. He devises his adventure in Ireland to his nephew, but though it is nominally of the value of £200, £25 thereof really belongs to his sister Alice. He leaves £10 to Rebecca, daughter of Richard Pitman, and Rebecca his wife, sister of the testator. *Other details.*

Bequest or devise follows of all the residue of testator's goods and chattels to his nephew John when he shall attain the age of 21 years, the property remaining meanwhile in the hands of testator's executors for the benefit of the said John, with the proviso that if he run into a dissolute life he shall have only half the estate—the other half to be divided among testator's "sisters children equally." If John his nephew dies under age, testator then gives one-fifth of his estate to his sister Alice and "the other four parts to be divided equally amongst all my sisters children that shall be living at the decease of the said John Starr."

The will was proved before Sir Nathaniel Brent, Kt., Dr. of Laws and Keeper of the Prerogative Court on 27 June, 1651. *In all, pp.* 8. *Ibid.* 94.

1654. 28 Nov. Assignment by Joseph Clifton, citizen and tallow-chandler of London.

Assigning to Symon Rumney, of Otford, in Kent, clerk, a lot in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary, which he has by assignment from William Viner, or Vyner, citizen and goldsmith of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 95.

1643. 8 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from Vyner, as above. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1654. 1 July. Assignment by Vyner to Clifton, as mentioned in last but one. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 97.

Will dated 1639. 2 April. Extract from the last will of George Fishenden, or Fissenden, of St. Saviour's, Southwark, mercer.

He gives to Edward Stringer the elder £5; to Thomas Choninge [?], of "Brengly" [Brenchley, Kent?], £10; to Wm. Stone, tailor, £5; to John Thare, of "Brengely," £5; to his sister, Elizabeth Fissenden, £40; to his brother John £20; and to his brother [in-law], James Hartridge, £10. He gives to his brother Thomas all his part share in the lands which fell to him by the death of his brother Allen, and the part thereof which testator's mother gave testator at her decease. He devises to his mother, Margaret Hartridge, his messuage, barn, garden, orchard and land in "Brengley," now occupied by Peter Boulton, she paying his legacies thereout. If she do not pay them within nine months, then the persons named above may enter and make sale for the payment of the said legacies. *P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 98.

1642. 18 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £37 10*s.*, from George Fissenden, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 100.

165½. 2 March. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

Fissenden, as above, paid in £12 10*s.* more for the Irish adventure in 1642, but had no receipt. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 99.

165¾. 10 Jan. Deposition by Richard Swallow, of the Custom House, in or near Thames Street, London, coastwaiter.

He well knew George Fissenden, late of London, merchant, and he died without issue. John Fissenden, of Brensley [Brenchley], in Kent, is his reputed eldest brother and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Swallow *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 101.

1654. 21 Aug. Assignment by John Lawson, citizen and grocer of London.

Assigning to Wm. Lawson, skinner, part of a share in the Irish adventure which he has as assignee of John and Thomas Fissenden. The Fissendens assigned to Wm. and John Lawson, and John now assigns his share to William. The lot for this share has fallen in the barony of Skreen, co. Meath. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 102.

1 June. Two assignments, one by Thomas Fissenden, of "Brensly," to the Lawsons and the other by John Fissenden, of same, to the same, as referred to in foregoing. *Each with usual covenants; each p.* 1, *signed, &c., before witnesses and endd. Ibid.* 103 *and* 104.

165¾. 14 Jan. Assignment by John Fissenden, as above.

Assigning to his brother Thomas half his interest in the Irish adventure which he has as heir to his deceased brother, George. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 105.

1642. 24 March. 8 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Nicholas Parry, of "Holborne," or "Houlbourne." *Each p.* ¾, *one endd. Ibid.* 106 *and* 107.

1642.

28 March. Undated. 19 July. Three of same, in all for £50, from John Steele, of London, salter. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 108–110.

1649. 6 July. Certificate by Lord Mayor Andrewes.

Abraham Jackson, late of Newington, clerk, deceased, advanced £300 for the Irish adventure and paid it in four instalments. He is asked to make this certificate by Mary, widow and administrix of the goods of Abraham Jackson. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid.* 111.

25 July. Assignment by Mary Jackson, as above, and William her son.

Assigning their interest, as stated in the foregoing certificate, to John Peacock, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed by the assignors before witnesses and endd. with note* that the sum has been allowed to Thomas Moon, of Hartswood, in Surrey, and Susan his wife, late wife of John Peacock, to and for the use of John Peacock an infant, and son and heir of the aforesaid John Peacock. *Ibid.* 112.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Edward Taylor, of Williamscott, in Oxfordshire. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 113.

30 April. 9 July. Two of same by same, in all for £250, from the Rt. Worshipful Thos. Tipping, High Sheriff of Oxfordshire, £50 whereof is part of the adventure of Edward Taylor, as above. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 114 *and* 115.

1654. 12 May. Assignment by Peregrine Bradshaw, of London.

Assigning to Sir John Clotworthy, of St. Martin's in the Fields, the shares which he has by assignment, or "lawful means in the law," from Isaac Harrison, of Hadley, in Suffolk, and John Whiting, of same. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 116.

165¾. 4 Feb. Bond by Isaac Harrison, of Hadley, in Suffolk, clerk.

He binds himself in £100 to Erasmus Smith, of London, merchant, to secure him quiet possession of such land as shall be allotted in respect of a certain share of £50 in the Irish adventure. This £50 was advanced by John Whiting, late of Hadley, mercer, and is allowed by the Committee to Thomas Whiting, of Hadley, mercer, his son and heir. Harrison, by the appointment of Whiting, has sold the adventure to Erasmus Smith. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 117.

4 March. Indenture of agreement between Erasmus Smith and Wm. Tibbs, stationer, of London, of the one part and Peregrine Bradshaw, of London, gentleman, of the other part.

Recites the foregoing. Smith, with consent of Tibbs, who is a party hereto, assigns the share mentioned above [*No.* 117] to Bradshaw. The lot therefor has fallen in the barony of Belfast. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by* Smith and Tibbs *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 118.

165¾.

4 Feb. Assignment by Thomas, son and heir of John Whiting.

Assigning the share which he has through his father to Erasmus Smith, as above. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 299, 119.

2 Feb. Bond by Isaac Harrison.

He binds himself in £100 to the Protector and Commonwealth to indemnify them against all future claims in respect of a lot of £50 in Irish land, which has been allowed him by the Committee of Claims. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 120.

Certificate by Henry Clerke.

The last will of John Whiting, late of Hadley, in Suffolk, dated 16 Jan., 164¾, and proved 30 Jan., 165¾, makes no bequest or disposal of his Irish adventure, but appoints his wife Judith sole executrix. *P.* ½. *Signed. Ibid* 121.

Same. Deposition by Isaac Harrison, as above, clerk, aged about 38 years.

The £50 paid in for the Irish adventure in the name of John Whiting really belonged to him, the deponent, and the acknowledgment of this on the back of the endorsement is in the hand of Whiting. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Harrison *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 122.

1642. 20 April. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £62 10*s.*, from John Whiting, of Hadley, in Suffolk. *Each p.* ½, *one with note by* Whiting that the £50 for which it is a receipt does not belong to him, but to his brother Harrison. *Ibid.* 123 *and* 124.

165¾. Deposition by Harrison, as above.

2 Feb. John Whiting, late of Hadley, deceased, subscribed £50 for the Irish adventure in 1642. A receipt for £37 10*s.*, part of this, has been mislaid, but it has not been transferred or used to the prejudice of the State. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., by* Harrison, *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 125.

4 Feb. Bond by Isaac Harrison.

He binds himself in £80 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future claims in respect of the share of £37 10*s.* mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 126.

19 Jan. Power of Attorney by Judith Lawrence, of Ipswich, formerly widow, and executrix of the last will of John Whiting, as above.

Empowering her brother, Isaac Harrison, to receive, deal with, or assign a bill for £100 adventured for lands in Ireland by her late husband, John Whiting. He may sign and deliver deeds, writings, &c., dealing with this matter. Ratification clause. *P.* 1. *Signed before witnesses. Endd. with* :—

4 Feb. Similar power by Isaac Harrison.

Empowering Henry Clerke to draw lots for the £50 allowed to Thomas, son and heir of John Whiting. *P.* ⅙. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, pp.* 1⅙. *Ibid.* 127.

Same. Assignment by Harrison, as above.

Assigning his share in the Irish adventure to Erasmus Smith, as above. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 128.

1642.

18 June. Order by the Lords and Commons in Parliament.

The Chamberlain of London to pay £10,000 to the Treasurers appointed to receive subscriptions for lands in Ireland. The money has been borrowed and will be repaid out of the first of the £100,000 promised to be lent by the citizens of London. *P.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 129 [*not in Lords' or Commons' Journals of this date*].

1 Aug. Copy of receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £10,000 paid them in pursuance of the foregoing order by Robert Bateman, Chamberlain of London. *P.* ½. *Certified a true copy by* Wm. Tibbs and James Walley, his servant. *Ibid.* 130.

Names of the Trustees for the taking of the assurance for the lands allotted to the Companies of London for the adventure of £10,000.

The list is as follows :—

John Stone, Thos. Walker and Wm. Hancock, Esqs.; Thomas Chamberlain, mercer, —— Cutler, grocer, Theophilus Biddulph, draper, John Hayne, fishmonger, William Gibbon, goldsmith, Francis Kirbie, skinner, Thomas Greene the elder, salter, Hugh Norris, ironmonger, and Edward Chard, clothworker. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 131.

23 June. Copy of receipt by Edward Hodson, clerk of Robert Bateman, chamberlain of the City of London, for £4,200 paid by the Master and Wardens of the Skinners' Company towards the £100,000 lent by the City for one year towards the relief and preservation of the realm of Ireland. The money to be at interest of 8 per cent. until repaid, according to the order of the Commons of 8 June, 1642, and of both Houses of 4 June, 1642. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 132.

1654. 7 July. Certificate by John Powell, clerk to Thomas Player, chamberlain to the City of London.

It appears by the book of accounts remaining in the Chamber of London that the Companies paid in for the relief of Ireland between 13 June and 18 July, 1642, £69,440. *P.* ¼, *followed by*:—

Same. Same by same.

Certifies the payment of £10,000 as mentioned above, *Nos.* 129 *and* 130. *P.* ½, *in all pp.* ¾. *Ibid.* 133.

10 Oct. Order by the Committee of the twelve chief Companies of London.

According to the returns made by the said Companies the assurances and certificates for lands allotted to the Companies of London shall be made and taken in the names of John Stone, Thomas Walker, Theophilus Biddulph, John Cutler, Wm. Hancock Hugh Norris, Esqs., Majors Thomas Chamberlain and John Hayne, Mr. Wm. Gibbon, goldsmith, Mr. Francis Kirbie, skinner, Thomas Greene the elder, salter, and Edward Chard, clothworker. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Edward Taylor, Clerk to the Committee. *Endd. Ibid.* 134.

165¾.

3 Jan. Assignment by John Bernard, or Barnard, of Great Risington [Rissington], Gloucestershire.

He is eldest son and heir of John Bernard, of the same, deceased, who was eldest brother and heir of Richard Bernard, of Lincoln's Inn, Esq. He assigns to Thomas Farmer, of Bristol, gentleman, and Arthur Farmer, of the same, the share of £200 taken by his uncle. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 299, 135.

1642. Richard Bernard to Farmer.

9 April. Lincoln's Inn. I have adventured £200 according to the propositions of Parliament in regard to the reduction of Ireland. I think the investment may be profitable and the work is a good one. I have endeavoured to induce your brother Ralph to put in £100 but, though willing, he has not the means to do it. Money comes in fast, and the small forces against the rebels have had success, but a large force is to be sent and a fleet prepared "to guard the Irish coasts and prevent supplies," which is now newly set forth under the Earl of Warwick, who took his leave of the Parliament and went from hence yesterday. "There is great hopes the war will not prove long. If yourself or your brother at Bristol have a will to adventure monies in this kind I conceive you will not lay it out more profitably, and if the war should prove somewhat longer than is expected, yet the lands propounded will in all probability largely recompense the stay." I could have wished your company in this adventure, and would have written to you ere now but that I have been ill. This is the first letter I have written for eight weeks. The time is, however, not yet past, as we have till April 20th, and if you cannot pay in one-fourth of the money by that time you may have time to do it afterwards at Bristol. Give my love to Mrs. Farmer. This spring season should invite a visit here that you might see the great agitations of this little part of the world. *P.* 1. (*Hol.*) *Ibid.* 136.

Extract from the will of Bernard, as above.

The will, which is dated 2 April, 1644, and proved 10 May, 1647, gives to Gabriel Beck, of Lincoln's Inn, and his heirs, Bernard's venture of £200 for lands in Ireland.

Beck declares the £200 given him was part of the £600 adventured in the name of Sir Wm. Drake and Gabriel Beck. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 137.

165¾. Deposition by Thomas and Arthur Farmer, of Bristol, gentlemen.

4 Feb. In the name of Richard Bernard, as above, they paid in £200 for lands in Ireland in 1642. Their receipts therefor are lost, but have not been assigned or used for their benefit. *P.* ½. *Sworn before* Richard Aldworth and Gabriel Herman. *Followed by—*

Same. Same by Richard Farmer, preacher of the Word in the city of Bristol.

He paid in £200 for same in name of Bernard, &c., as foregoing. *P.* ½. *Sworn before the same officers as foregoing. P.* ⅓, *in all p.* 1. *Ibid.* 138.

165¾.

27 Jan. Bond by Thomas and Arthur Farmer, of Bristol.

They are bound in £400 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future claims in respect of a sum of £200 which they adventured for lands in Ireland in the name of Bernard. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 299, 139.

1643. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50 paid in by John Strange, merchant-tailor. The receipt is dated as in margin, but a note of the Treasurers, dated 6 Jan., 165¾, states that it was not delivered till that date, as complete payment had not been made. *Another note adds* that the share is allowed to Samuel Richardson, the assignee of John Strange, and the whole is endd. with assignment (dated 9 Jan., 165¾) from Strange to Richardson, "of London, gentleman." *In all, pp.* 2. *Ibid.* 140.

165¾. 25 Feb. Assignment by Samuel Richardson, "of Islington, gentleman."

Assigns his share as in foregoing, which has fallen in the co. Meath, to Nathaniel Micklethwaite, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 141.

21 Feb. Deposition by Symon Cressy, of Coleman Street, London, girdler.

The receipt for £5, which sum he paid in for the Irish adventure is missing. It has not been put to profitable use. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Cressy *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 142.

Same. Bond by Cressey.

He binds himself in £20 to the Protector to indemnify him against all future loss in respect of the share mentioned in the foregoing. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 143.

1642. 8 April. 25 June. 19 July. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £50, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hand of Thomas Macumber, of the same, ironmonger. *On same page. P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 145.

1653. 15 July. Certificate by R. Herman, Mayor of Exeter.

He certifies the above receipts to-day. Samuel Isacke, of Exeter (one of the administrators of the goods of Thos. Macumber, deceased, during the minority of Thomas, Anne and Elizabeth, his children), brought the foregoing to him, and demanded his certificate thereof. He certifies it accordingly. *P.* 1. *Signed. Ibid.* 144.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Sheriff of Exeter for £10 paid in by Andrew King, of Berry Pomeroy, in Devon, fellmonger. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 146.

1653. 1 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing is for money really the property of King, who may dispose of it accordingly.[1] *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 147.

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[1] The foregoing (*No.* 147) does not mention the Mayor, &c., of Exeter as intermediaries.

1642.

30 May. 18 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Samuel Langworthy, of Berry Pomeroy. *P.* 1, *on same page.* *S.P. Ireland* 299, 148.

1653. 1 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The above are for sums really the property of Langworthy, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ¾. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 149.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Paul Greensmith, of Rye, in Sussex. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 150.

1 Sep. Assignment by Greensmith, as above.

Assigning his share to Peter Barett, of Great Yarmouth, in Norfolk. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 151.

165¾. 21 Feb. Bond by John Spratt, of Whitefriars, London.

He binds himself in £20 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future claims in respect of a sum advanced by Elizabeth Mules, late of Exeter, widow. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 152.

1653. 27 Oct. Certificate by Edward Sainthill, of Exeter, notary public.

He has perused the last will of Elizabeth Mules, and finds that she has appointed Dorothy Bigelstone, of Exeter, sole executrix. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 153.

1642. 30 May. 22 Aug. 15 Nov. 164⅔. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £10, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of Elizabeth Mules. *P.* 1. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 154.

1653. 1 Nov. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums really the property of Mules, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 155.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John Banks, Banckes, or Bancks, of London, gentleman. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 156.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Banks, as above, by his last will, dated 20 July, and proved 22 Aug., 1642, bequeathed the residue of his estate to his son Caleb. He made no bequest therein of his share in Irish land. He paid in his first £50 together with Mr. Doyly and others in a receipt dated 29 April, 1642. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 157.

1653. 18 Oct. Certificate by Thomas Wickes, of Paternoster Row, London, mercer.

He knew John Banks well, and Caleb Banks, of Maidstone, in Kent, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ½. *Signed.* *Ibid.* 158.

1654.

18 April. Assignment by Caleb Banks, of Maidstone, gentleman.

He assigns his share of £100, the receipt for one-half of which is part of a sum of £400, for which a receipt has been given in the names of himself, Charles Doyley, Nathaniel and Thomas Wicks, John Rothwell, Robert Barrett, Luke Fawne, Wm. Boulton, James Clerke, Anthony Dowse, Daniel Enderby and — Child, to John Mosyer, of the Inner Temple. The lot for this share has fallen in the barony of Belfast, Co. Antrim. Usual covenants. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., by* Banks. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 159.

1643. 29 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £36 12*s.* 8*d.*, from the Master and Wardens of the Company of Carpenters. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 160.

1644. 18 May. Same for £36 10*s.*, from the Master and Wardens of the Company of Stationers. *Endd. Ibid.* 161.

1653. 20 Dec. Assignment by the "Master and Keepers or Wardens and Commonalty of the Mystery of Stationers in London."

Assigning their share [*see foregoing*] on payment of £24 6*s.* 8*d.* to Richard Thrale, citizen and stationer of London. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *with note* that the Common Seal has been attached, but without the seal. *Endd. Ibid.* 162.

1643. 25 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £19, from the Company of Butchers of London. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 163.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 6 March. Assignment by the Master, &c., of the "Art or Mistry of Butchers in London."

Assigning their share [*as in foregoing*], which has fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, to Samuel Blackwell, of Twittinham [Twickenham], in Middlesex. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$ (*parchment*) *with note* that Nathaniel Sydons is master and Christopher Henne, Edward Mercey, Symon Tyres, John Deacon, John Winde and Wm. Zouch, wardens. *Endd. Ibid.* 164.

18 March. Deposition by Matthew Alured, or Allured, of Walkington, in Yorkshire, aged about 41.

John Alured, of Charterhouse, in Yorks, is lately deceased, and did not, so far as deponent knows, devise or assign his share in the Irish adventure. John Alured, of Gray's Inn, Middlesex, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Certified and dated by* Thos. [?] Fauconberge. *Ibid.* 165.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 25 Feb. Bond by John Alured, of Gray's Inn.

He binds himself to the Protector to indemnify him against all future loss on account of a receipt for £100 paid in by John Alured, as above, which receipt has been lost. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 166.

1654. 17 May. Assignment by same.

Assigning to George Clark, of London, merchant, the share of £100, which he has as "heir apparent," to his father, who is deceased. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 167.

165¾.

25 Feb. Certificate by same, aged about 22 years.

The receipt for the payment of £100 by his late father, which is lost, has not been doubled or converted for profit. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Alured *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 168.

1656. Assignment by Peter Barrett, or Baret, of London, grocer.

28 June. Assigning to Christopher Baret, of London, gentleman, £100, part of a share of £200 in the Irish adventure allowed to assignor by Richard Harman, or Herman of Woodallin in Norfolk, son and heir of Richard Herman, of the same, deceased. The £200 is part of £600 subscribed by "Edward" Mumford, Munford, or Moundford and Richard Herman. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 169.

1655. Further assignment by Herman.

24 Sept. Assigning £200, a further part of his father's share in the above-mentioned adventure of £600, to Peter Barrett, of London, grocer. The lot therefor has fallen in the barony of Maryborough, Queen's Co. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 170.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Sir "Edmund" Moundford, of Feltwell, in Norfolk, Kt., by his last will, dated 18 April, 1643, and proved 10 Feb., 164⅘, bequeathed half of his share of the adventure in which he was partner with Richard Herman, to the said Herman. He desired Herman to assign one-third part of the lands that should be allotted for the other half to Moundford Spylman, godson of the testator, and son of John Spylman, his brother-in-law, one-third part to Moundford Brampston, son of Moundford Brampston, testator's kinsman, and one-third part to Moundford Fowler, son of John Fowler. *P.* ¾. *Signed. Ibid.* 171.

1642. 4 April. 19 July. 14 Oct. 164¾. 6 Jan. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £600, from Sir "Edmund" Moundeford, or Mumford, Kt., and Richard Herman, of Norwich, both members of the House of Commons. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 172-5.

165¾. Certificate by Peter Baret, of Great Yarmouth.

1 March. He well knew Richard Herman, of Norwich, alderman, and Richard Herman, of Woodallin in Norfolk is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by* Baret *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 176.

1655. 8 Aug. Assignment by George Fowler and Thomas and Jane Thursby or Thorisby, of Haveles, in the parish of Mintlin [Mintlyn], in Norfolk.

Fowler is father and lawful guardian of Elizabeth Fowler, a minor, one of the sisters and co-heirs of Moundford Fowler, deceased, who was son of the assignor and one of the legatees mentioned in the last will of Sir "Edmund" Moundford, Kt. Thomas Thursby is the husband of Jane, who is another of the sisters of and co-heirs

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of Moundford Fowler. For £75 paid them these assignors assign to Humfry Abdy, of London, merchant, the share of £100 in Irish land which has come to them as co-heirs of Moundford Fowler. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by all the assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 177.

165¾. 10 March. Deposition by Mathew Wilkinson, of Mary Abchurch, London, grocer, aged about 40 years.

Mary Shebbeare and Ruth Newberry, or Newbery, are the only daughters and co-heirs of John Bremblecomb, or Brimmelcomb, of Ockhampton [Oakhampton], deceased, in Devon, who subscribed £50 for lands in Ireland in 1642. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Wilkinson *and certified and dated by* Fra. Blomer. *Ibid.* 178.

1654. 10 Oct. Assignment by Ruth Newbery and Mary Shebbeare, as above.

Assigning their share, as above, which has fallen in the barony of Pubblebrien, Co. Limerick, to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 179.

1642. 30 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for the sum of £50, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of "John Brimmelcombe, of Ockington." *Each p.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 180 *and* 181.

165¾. 21 Feb. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing are for sums paid in by Brimmelcombe, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* 1, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 182.

1642. 24 March. 19 July. (2). Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £225, from Edmond Harvey, of London, draper. In one receipt (*No.* 184) for £50 Edmund Sleighe participates. *Each p.* ½, *two* (*Nos.* 183 *and* 184) *endd. with*—

(1) Assignments thereof, dated 25 May, 1647, by Harvey to John Cocke, of London, salter.

(2) Same, dated 5 April, 1652, from Cocke to Colonel Edmond Harvey, or Harvy (*No.* 183), and to Harvy and Sleigh, or Sleighe (*No.* 184). *Ibid.* 183, 184 *and* 185.

165¾. 19 Jan. Anne Lucas to John Jordan, at the sign of the *Green Dragon* in Bread Street [London].

I rely upon your friendship to help me. I hear most people have drawn for their lands in Ireland, but I have only just heard that the drawing is going on, and have not found a safe messenger whereby to send my receipt. I trusted to a party to give me notice of the time for drawing, but he did not do so. I now send you the receipt and ask you to do what you can to help me. If it is too late and I must suffer for having trusted to a broken staff, I pray you let me know that I may make "eues" [use] of my great friend here, the General, to see if he can assist me. *P.* ¾. (*Hol.*). *Add. as above. Ibid.* 187.

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19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £175, from Edmund Sleigh, or Sleighe, of London, mercer. *P.* ½ *each.* *S.P. Ireland* 299, 186 *and* 188.

1650. 30 Nov. Assignment by Edmund Harvey, or Harvy, of Fulham, in Middlesex.

He assigns to Edmund Sleigh all interest which he may have in two receipts, in all for £175, advanced in the name of Sleigh, and assigns to him also his adventure of £75 [*see above, No.* 185], advanced in the name of the assignor, though intended for use of Sleigh, and actually paid in by him. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 189.

1652. 10 April. Assignment by Harvey and Sleigh, as above.

Assigning to Anne Lucas, of St. Giles in the Fields, their interest in a receipt for £50 advanced for Irish land, dated 14 March, 164½ [? 24 March, *see above, No.* 184]; in two receipts dated 19 July, 1642 [*Nos.* 186 *and* 188], one for £75 from Edmund Sleigh, and the other for £100 from same; and in two further receipts of the same date, one for £75 and one for £100 from Harvey. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Sleigh and Harvey *before witnesses.* *Ibid.* 190.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £30 from Edmund Blake, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 191.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of Thomas Pearce, late of Sidbury, Devon, deceased, dated 10 Oct., 1646, bequeathed to his daughter Elizabeth the first £10 profit of his land in Ireland, if it should not be sold. If it should be sold then she was to have a seventh part. To his daughter Joan he gave £25 to be paid within three years after his decease, or one month after her marriage, whichever date is the earlier. She was also to have the second £10 of profit on testator's land in Ireland if it were not sold; but, if it were sold, then one-seventh. A third £10 of profit, or one-seventh, he bequeathed in the same way to his daughter Naomy; and a fourth £10, or one-seventh, to his daughter Ruth. The remainder of his estate in Ireland he bequeathed to his two sons Joshua and Caleb. *P.* 1$\frac{1}{10}$. *Signed by* Salmon. *Ibid.* 192.

1653. 4 March. Power by Joshua and Caleb Pearce.

They recite the foregoing, and authorise Richard Clapp, of Sidbury, to draw for them. *P.* ¾. *Signed, and underwritten with* authority from Richard Clapp to Captain Manton to draw for these persons. *Ibid.* 193.

1642. 6 May. 19 July. 18 Oct. 1643. 13 Jan. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £30, from Thomas Pearce the elder, of Sidbury. *On same page.* *P.* 1. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 194.

1642.

19 July. Receipt by same for £25 paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of Wm. Bunston, of Axminster. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 195.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

13 Oct. The foregoing receipt is for a sum advanced by Bunston, who may dispose of it. *P.* ½, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 196.

1642. Three receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £200, from

20 April. John Vye, or Vie, of Axmouth, in Devon. *P.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.*

12 July. 198.

1653. Certificate by Nathaniel Manton.

29 March. John Vie, of Axmouth, is the son and heir of John Vie, as above. *P.* ½. (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 197.

1642. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from

6 May. Henry Parsons, of Shute, in Devon. *On same page. P.* ½. *Endd.*

18 July. *Ibid.* 199.

1643. Written receipt for £25 from Wm. Adams, citizen and draper of

8 Sep. London. He is to have a printed receipt on producing a writing between himself and Abraham Babington, in whose name he says that he formerly adventured £100. *P.* ½. *Signed by* J. Madden and Richard Warburton. *Erased. Endd. Ibid.* 200.

Same. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25 from Adams. *With note* that this receipt was held till 15 March, 165¾, because Mr. Adams did not sooner produce the writing mentioned in the foregoing. *Ibid.* 201.

1642. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £100, from the

30 May. Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Isaack Northcott, of Honing-

20 Aug. ton, or Honiton, in Devon. *Ibid.* 202-205.

17 Nov.

164⅔.

8 March.

1647. Bequest by Northcott, as above.

3 Aug. He bequeathes his £100 in Irish land equally between his five children and the longest liver of them. They are John and Richard Northcott, Mary Welman, Temperance and Hanna Northcott. *P.* ½. *Not signed but sworn to by* Margaret, widow of [John Northcott] *on* 6 *April*, 1648, *and testified by* "Milicent Colquit, proctor." *Ibid.* 204*a*.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

12 Sep. The receipts above [*Nos.* 202–5] are for sums advanced by the late Northcott, whose heirs and assigns may dispose of them. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 206.

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11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £50, from Jerome Allexander, for lands in the city of Waterford. *P.* ½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 208.

1643. 27 July. Same by same for £25, from Wm. Bisby, of London, salter. *P.* ½. *Endd. with* assignment thereof dated 23 April, 1650, by Bisby to Robert Barrow, Lieut.-Col. to Col. Venables. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 207.

1642. 9 July. Same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £50 from Henry Roche. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 209.

1649. 1 Aug. Certificate by Lord Mayor Thos. Andrewes.

Wm. Bisby advanced £100 for lands in Ireland in March, 1642. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes *and endd. with* assignment thereof dated 23 April, 1650, by Bisby, or Bisbey, to Lieut.-Col. Barrow [*as above, No.* 207]. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 210.

1642. 9 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £350, from Wm. Underwood, James Hayes, or Heys, Thomas Cocke, John Mascall and Richard Rogers. *P.* 1, *with note* that Mr. Allen paid himself £100, which makes £450. *Endd. with note* as to the value of the shares of the partners. *Ibid.* 210.

25 June. Same by same for £175, from Wm. Underwood, John Cocke, Richard Wilson, Edward and Rose Underwood, Wm. Skrimshaw, Wm. Allen and John Hunter. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 211.

26 March. Written receipt by same for £50, from Wm. Underwood, grocer, £25 from James Heys, same, £50 from Thomas Cocke, salter, £25 from John Mascall, haberdasher, £25 from Richard Rogers, grocer, in all £175, part of their subscription of £700. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 213.

1654. 12 June. Assignment by Wm. Underwood, of London, Alderman.

Assigning to James Hayes a share of £100 in the Irish adventure, which has been allowed him in respect of the joint adventure of £700 [*see foregoing*]. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 214.

22 Nov. Same by Thomas Pepys, of London, gentleman.

Assigning to Charles Doe, citizen and goldsmith of London, a share which he has by assignment from Percival Aungier, of London, gentleman. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 215.

1643. 3 Aug. 1644. 1 Aug. Two receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £16 13*s.* 4*d.*, from Percival Aungier, of London, gentleman. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 216 *and* 217.

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21 April. Assignment by Aungier to Pepys, as mentioned above (*No.* 215). *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 217.

1653. Certificate by Simon Snowe, Mayor of Exeter.

8 Dec. Exeter. John Bartlett, minister of the Gospel in Exeter, deposed before him to-day that he paid in £30 in 1642 for land in Ireland in the name of the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, and had a receipt for the same, which is lost and cannot be found. He has not doubled or assigned such receipt. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Snow, *and with seal of the mayoralty of Exeter. P.* ½. *Ibid.* 220.

Same. Further certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The sum deposed to be advanced in their name [*see foregoing*] by Bartlett was not their money but belonged to Bartlett. They assign all claim in respect of such sum to Bartlett. *P.* ¾, *with seal of the city of Exeter. Ibid.* 218.

165¾. Assignment by Bartlett.

7 Feb. Assigning his interest under the foregoing documents to George Clerke, of London, merchant. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 219.

3 Jan. Bond by same.

He binds himself in £60 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future demands in respect of his share of £30 in the Irish adventure. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 221.

1654. Certificate by Thomas Saye, Richard Castell and Richard Hunt.

19 April. Thomas Smith, the bearer hereof, is the reputed son of Thomas Smith, of Bottlebridge, or Bottilbridge [Botolph bridge], in Huntingdonshire. *P.* ⅓, *followed by*—

22 April. Deposition by Thomas Smith.

He has always been since his birth the reputed heir of Thomas Smith, who died intestate. *In all, p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 222.

1642. 30 June. 15 Nov. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £125, from Walter Welles, or Wells, "Dr. in Physic," and Thomas Smith, Rector [of] Bottlebridge. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 223 *and* 225.

18 Oct. Same for £62 10*s.*, from Walter Wells, "of Arton, Hunts, clerk." *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 224.

1653. 26 July. Assignment by Walter Wells, "of Theydon Mount, in Essex, doctor in physic."

Assigning his share in Irish land to the Protector. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 226.

1642. 31 March. Receipt by Richard Stone, Sheriff of the County of Huntingdon, for £62 10*s.*, from Walter Wells, "of Ortonlongvill" and Thomas Smith, parson of Bottlebridge. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Stone. *Endd. Ibid.* 227.

1653. Certificate by Alderman Andrewes.

27 July. The Lord General Cromwell subscribed £300 for the adventure in Ireland in April, 1642, and paid in the whole sum. He also

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subscribed in the same month £300 for the additional adventure by sea, which was paid in. The receipts therefor have been lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 228.

1654. 14 April. Council at Whitehall.

Copy of Order by the Lord Protector and Council.

The report of Sir Anthony Ashley Cooper, to whom the petition of Mary Cooke was referred, was considered, and also a report from the Committee of Parliament for the affairs of Ireland, and it was ordered by the Protector and Council:—

That Alderman Andrewes be empowered to receive from petitioner the remaining third part of the subscription of £168 15*s.* subscribed by Edward Cooke, father of the deceased husband of petitioner, under the ordinance of 14 July, 1643. Petitioner to be treated as if the whole sum had been paid in within the time limited. *P.* 1. *Extracted by* W. Jessop, Clerk of the Council. *Ibid.* 229.

24 April.

Receipt by Alderman Andrewes for £56 5*s.*, from Mary Cooke, widow, in pursuance of foregoing. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes. *Endd. Ibid.* 230.

1642. 31 May. 30 Sep. 15 Nov. 164⅔. 22 Feb.

Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £30, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Joseph Clapham, merchant, of Barnstaple. *On three sheets, pp.* 2, *one endd. Ibid.* 231–3.

165¾. 14 March. Barnstaple.

Certificate by Thos. Mathew and Adam Lugge, aldermen of Barnstaple.

Joseph Clapham, who adventured £30 for lands in Ireland did not assign or bequeath his adventure. Rawleigh Clapham, his natural brother, is now living in this town and is his lawful heir. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by the* Aldermen *and with seal of the Incorporation. Endd. Ibid.* 234.

1653. 10 Nov.

Bond by John Flesher, of London, upholster.

He binds himself in £240 to the keepers of the Liberties of England to indemnify them against all future claims in respect of a sum of £120 adventured by him for lands in Ireland. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 235.

Same.

Deposition by same.

He subscribed £120 for lands in Ireland in 1642, and paid the sum in. The receipts are lost and have not been doubled or converted for profit. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Flesher *and certified by* Fra. Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 236.

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18 May. Assignment by Flesher.

Assigning his share, as above, which has fallen in the barony of Portnehinch, Queen's Co., to William Woodhouse, of Chesthunt [Cheshunt], in Herts. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 237.

1643. 16 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £8 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Wm. Daniell, of London, goldsmith, *with note* that the money was paid in on the above date, but that the receipt was withheld till Feb. 28, 165$\frac{3}{4}$, because Mr. Daniell had not "made his subscription." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 238.

Same. Rough note of same subscription erased. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Endd.*: "To be returned to Mr. Wm. Knight, of Cheapside." *Ibid.* 239.

165$\frac{3}{4}$. 2 March. Assignment by Thomas Daniell, of Flitton, in Bedfordshire, and Susan Daniell, of London.

Thomas is brother of the late Wm. Daniel [as above] and Susan is Wm.'s widow. They are co-executors of his will. They assign their share in the Irish adventure to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by the assignors before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 240.

1642. 30 May. 17 Aug. 9 Nov. 164$\frac{2}{3}$. 13 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, by the hands of Edward Nosworthy, minister, of St. David's, Exeter. *On three pages. Pp.* 2. *Ibid.* 241–243.

165$\frac{4}{5}$. 28 March. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

The foregoing receipts are for sums really the property of Nosworthy, who may dispose of them. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 244.

30 May. Two receipts, as above [*Nos.* 241–243], in all for £10, paid in through Richard Mayne. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 245 *and* 246.

1654. Certificate by Nathaniel Manton.

1 April. John Mayne, of Exeter, merchant, is the son and heir of Richard Mayne, deceased, of the same, merchant. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *followed by*—

Certificate by W. Tibbs.

Richard Mayne made no bequest of his Irish adventure. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 247.

1653. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

22 Nov. The foregoing receipts (*Nos.* 245 and 246) are for sums the property of Mayne or Maine, who may dispose of them accordingly. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 248.

1654. Assignment by Mayne.

1 July. Assigning to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant, the £10 which he holds as heir to his father, and which has fallen by lot in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 249.

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8 Dec. Bond by Nathaniel Smyth, of Littlecote, in Wilts.

He is bound in £100 to the keepers of the Liberties of England to guarantee them against all damage which may accrue to them on account of a receipt for £12 10*s.* under the hand of Martin Samford, Sheriff of Somerset, which has been lost. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 299, 250.

1654. 15 June. Deposition by same, of the Strand, in Middlesex.

John Francis, late of Comeflory [Combe Flory], in Somerset, adventured £50 for the purchase of lands in Ireland. The receipt therefor is lost, but has not been doubled. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Smyth, *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Ibid.* 251.

1653. 25 Nov. Same.

John Francis, as above, is deceased, and made no will. Elizabeth and Amy Francis are his only daughters and co-heirs. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Smyth *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 251*a*.

1642. 16 July. 12 Oct. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from John Francis, as above. *Each p.* ⅔, *one endd. Ibid.* 253 *and* 254.

1653. 23 Nov. Same by Alderman Andrewes under the Act for Satisfaction for £12 10*s.*, from Kathrine, relict of Francis Andrews, as above. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 252.

1654. 27 March. Certificate by Alderman Thomas Andrewes.

James Bunce, of London, leather-seller, paid in £800 for Ireland to the Treasury in London in April and July, 1642, and £200 to the Treasurers at Grocers' Hall for same, under the ordinance of July, 1643. This adventure, being doubled, is worth £2,000. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Andrewes *and with note, signed by* Alderman Avery, that the £200 was paid in, as above. *Ibid.* 255.

1644. 7 July. Assignment by Bunce, as above, alderman of London.

Assigning to Wm. Manby, of London, gentleman, the share of £2,000 in Irish land to which he is entitled by his subscription and payment of £1,000. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses and endd. with* assignment thereof dated 18 May, 1654, by Manby to Wm. Hawkins, of Mile End, Middlesex. *The endorsement signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 256.

1654. 13 June. Assignment by Hawkins, as above.

The lots for the share which he has by assignment [*see foregoing*] have fallen partly in the barony of Ballybrit, King's Co., and partly in that of Portnehinch, Queen's Co. He assigns his interest in the whole to Thomas Vincent, alderman, of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 257.

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1 June. Certificate by Robert Bence, Thomas Meadows, Mathew Alexander, Anthony Stephens and Robert Hayle.

James Bunce, formerly alderman of London, was not in any way under delinquency in 1644, and did then really act for the Parliament of England. *P.* 1. *Signed by the above. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 258.

6 June. Power of Attorney by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

Several persons in 1642 adventured sums for lands in Ireland in their name. They appoint Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant, to act and draw for lands for them in respect of a sum of £1,883 6*s.* 8*d.*, part of £9,890 so advanced. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *with seal of the city. Endd. Ibid.* 259.

1642. 26 March. 10 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from John Brocket, or Brockett, of Syon College, in London. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$ *and p.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *one endd. Ibid.* 260 *and* 261.

1654. 28 July. Assignment by Brockett, late of Syon College, as above, and now of Grimston, in Norfolk, clerk.

Assigning his share, as by foregoing, which has fallen in the barony of Ballybritt, King's Co., to John Rawlinson, of Lambeth, in Surrey, clerk. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 262.

10 June. Deposition by John Partridge, of "New Neitherland in Flushing," merchant, *æt.* about 30.

Alexander Partridge, his late father, adventured £80 for land in Ireland. The receipts therefor have been lost, but have not been converted for use. Deponent's father died intestate. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Partridge. *Certified and dated by* Thos. Benet. *Ibid.* 263.

Same. Same by Thomas Beare, of the parish of Ethelborough [St. Ethelburga], Bishopsgate, London, aged about 42.

He well knew Alexander Partridge, as above. John Partridge, as above, merchant, is his reputed eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 264.

22 June. Assignment by John Partridge, as above.

Assigning his share [*see foregoing documents*] which has fallen by lot in the barony of Kenry, co. Limerick, to Francis Bigge, or Bigg, of London, merchant. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 265.

1655. 16 June. Assignment by Bigg, as above.

Assigning his interest, as per foregoing, to Richard Bury, of London, Esq. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 266.

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29 March. 14 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from John Tabor, of London, goldsmith. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 299, 268 *and* 269.

1654. Assignment by Tabor, as above.

10 June. Assigning his share, as per foregoing receipts, to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 267.

Certificate by Tibbs.

Arthur Crew, or Crewe, citizen and haberdasher of London, by his last will, dated 6 and proved 19 Oct., 1646, gave the residue of all his property, after debts and legacies paid, to his brother, Robert Crewe, to his own proper use, and made Robert Crewe and testator's brother-in-law executors of his last will. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by Tibbs. Endd. Ibid.* 271.

1642. 10 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrrangement between the King and Parliament for £50, from Crew, as above. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 270.

1654. Assignment by Benedict Scott, of London, merchant.

10 June. Assigning to Elias Roberts, of London, merchant, a lot which he has by assignment from Robert Crew, of Wotton-under-edge, in Gloucester, clothier, brother and heir of Arthur Crew, late of London, haberdasher, deceased, the original investor. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 272.

1653. 27 Oct. Same by Robert Crew to Benedict Scott, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 273.

1654. June. Assignment by Wm. Underwood, of London, alderman.

He adventured £750 for lands in Ireland with John Cock, Richard Wilson, and others. £50, part thereof, was adventured by Wm. Scrimshawe, citizen and haberdasher of London. He assigns a share of £50 in the adventure to Scrimshawe accordingly. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 274.

Same. Three similar assignments by same.

12 June. Assigning shares of £100, £50 and £100, parts of the adventure mentioned in foregoing, respectively to John Hunter, citizen and grocer of London, Benjamin Underwood, same, and Wm. Allen, citizen and vintner of same. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *&c., as foregoing. Each endd. Ibid.* 275, 277 *and* 278.

165$\frac{1}{2}$. Same by Rose Underwood, of London, widow.

7 Feb.. Assigning a share of £50 which she has advanced for lands in Ireland, and which was comprised in a large adventure [*see above*] by her cousin, Col. Wm. Underwood, to her son Benjamin. She appoints her said cousin to be accountable to her said son, and makes her cousin her agent for this matter. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 276.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £300, from Wm. and Rose Underwood,

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John Cock, Richard Wilson, Wm. Skrimshire and John Hunter. *P.* ½, *with note* that Mr. Underwood paid in £50 himself, which makes £350. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 279.

25 June. Two of same, in all for £550, from the same persons, as foregoing, and also Edward Underwood and Wm. Allen. *Each p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 280 *and* 281.

19 July. One of same for £15, from Frances Astrey, servant to the Worshipful Oliver Cromwell, Esq., *with note* that £5 more has been allowed him out of Lord Cromwell's bill. *Endd. Ibid.* 282.

1653. Assignment by Astry, or Astrey.

20 Aug. Assigning her interest in the foregoing adventure to Thomas Kysbye. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 284.

1642. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £25, from Francis Cole, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 285.

1647. 20 Dec. Same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £6 5*s.*, from same. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 286.

1653. 22 Nov. Certificate by John Wollaston and Thos. Atkin [magistrates in London?], Henry Isaacson, Treasurer [of the hospital of Bethlem in London], and Alderman John Kendrick.

Jonathan Blackwell, citizen and scrivener of London, brother to Joseph Blackwell, of Cornhill, London, being distracted and decayed in estate, was admitted into the hospital of Bethlem in London, upon the solicitations of friends in 1644, and was maintained on the common allowance of the said hospital. *P.* ½. *Signed by the above,* Isaacson *signing as "Treasurer there." Ibid.* 283.

1642. 5 April. 8 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £468 15*s.*, from Joseph Blackwell, citizen and barber-surgeon of London, and his brother Jonathan, citizen and scrivener of the same. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 287 *and* 288.

1654. Certificate by George Hellier, Mayor of Bristol.

13 June. Bristol. Jonathan Blackwell, of Bristol, vintner, deposed before him to-day that his brother Joseph was to have one-half of the land for which he and deponent subscribed in 1642. Joseph paid in £300 therefor. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by the Mayor and with seal of the Mayoralty "in such cases used." Endd. Ibid.* 289.

165¾. 23 Feb. Certificate by John Hocker, Wm. Bosseville and Edward Roberts, Justices of the Peace for Middlesex.

Thomas Manley, of St. Martins in the Fields, who, in his lifetime, subscribed £600 for lands in Ireland, but only paid in £150,

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is since deceased, and left so small an estate that his heir is not able to complete the purchase. *P.* ⅘. *Signed and sealed by the magistrates. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 290.

15 Feb. Certificate by Francis Heyton, of Greenwich, in Kent.

Thomas Manley, as above, did not assign or bequeath his interest in Irish land. Thomas Manley, of St. Martin's in the Fields, now living, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Heyton *and certified and dated by* Francis Blomer. *Endd. Ibid.* 291.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The letters of administration granted to Thomas Manley, *jun.*, as above, dated 14 March, 165¾, give him power to adminster all the goods and chattels of his father. They are dated 14 March, 165¾. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 292.

1654. Deposition by Sir Wm. Allenson, M.P.

17 June. Manley, *sen.*, as above, adventured with him for lands in Ireland. *P.* ½. *Signed before a witness. Endd. Ibid.* 293.

1642. 6 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from Allenson and Manley, *sen.*, as above. *P.* ½. *Endd. with* assignment, dated 1 May, 1644, by Allenson of his share herein to Manley. *P.* ½, *the assignment signed before witnesses. The whole p.* 1. *Ibid.* 294.

165⅘. Assignment by Thos. Manley, *jun.*

8 Feb. Assigning his share [*see foregoing documents*] to Wm. Ridges, Esq. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 295.

1642. 28 and 30 May. 17 Aug. 164⅔. 12 Feb. Four receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £85, paid in by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter, through the hands of Robert Trescott, fuller. *On four sheets. Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 296–9.

165¾. Certificate by the Mayor, &c., of Exeter.

24 Jan. The foregoing are for sums really the property of Trescott, who may dispose of them. *P.* ⅔, *with seal of the city. Ibid.* 300.

1642. 15 April. 12 and 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Richard Gardiner. *Each p.* ⅓, *one endd. Ibid.* 301–3.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will of Arthur Goodwin, of Upper Winchindon [Winchendon], in Bucks, Esq., dated 6 Feb., 165¾, made no bequest of his Irish adventure and made his daughter Dame Jane and her husband, Philip, Lord Wharton, his executors. *P.* ⅓. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Ibid.* 304.

Same.

The last will of Richard Gardiner, of the parish of All Saints, Oxford, of which he has seen a copy bearing date 11 Jan., 164⁰⁄₁,

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makes no bequest of his Irish adventure, but appoints Arthur Goodwin, of Winchington [Winchendon] his executor. The copy is attested by Joseph Hobbs, servant of Sir Gilbert Gerrard. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Tibbs. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 305.

1654. 2 May. Bond by Thomas Browker, of Betterley [Bitterley], in Salop.

He binds himself in £400 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future claims in respect of a share of £100, part of £200, which he formerly advanced for land in Ireland. The receipt for this £100 is lost. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 306.

1642. 24 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thomas Browker, of Newenham [Newnham], co. Northampton. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 308.

Certificate by Andrewes.

Showing that Browker paid in a second sum of £100 on 29 Sep., 1642. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed. Ibid.* 307*a*.

1654. 2 May. Deposition by Thos. Browker, as above.

He advanced and paid in £200 for land in Ireland. The receipt for £100, part thereof, is lost, but has not been doubled or converted to the detriment of the State. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed by* Browker, *and dated and certified by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 307.

1642. 28 March. 18 June. 30 April. 16 July. Five receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £500, from the Worshipful Thomas Stone, of London. *Each about p.* $\frac{2}{3}$, *two endd. Ibid.* 309–313.

1642. 21 May. Indenture of agreement between Stone, as above, and Wm. Wheate, of Glympton in Oxford, Richard Quiney and John Owen, of London, grocers, and Richard Chaundler, haberdasher, of the same.

Stone out of affection to his daughter Elizabeth Wheate and her children assigns his share, as above, to Wm. Wheate, Richard Quiney, John Owen and Richard Chaundler, in trust to the use of (1) Thomas the second son of Wm. and Elizabeth Wheate, and to the heirs of his body, or failing him (2) of James the third son, now living, of the same parents, and his heirs, or failing him (3) to Richard Wheate, the fourth son of the said parents, and his heirs, with remainder to Elizabeth the mother of the said sons and her heirs and assigns. Stone promises to do all such acts as may be necessary to enable the trustees to discharge their trust. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by Stone before witnesses and endd. with* certificate dated 8 June, 1654, by John Owen, of London, grocer, to the effect that Thomas Wheate, of Glymston [Glympton], in Oxfordshire [is ?] second son of Wm. and Elizabeth Wheate, as within-named. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$, *in all, pp.* $1\frac{1}{8}$. *Ibid.* 314.

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29 June. Assignment by Luke Fawne, citizen and stationer of London.

Assigning to John Owen, of London, a share of £500 in the Irish adventure, which he has by assignment [*see next document*]. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 299, 315.

15 June. Indenture between William Wheate, Quiney, Owen and Chaundler [*as above, No.* 314], and Thomas, second son of Wm. Wheate, of the one part, and Luke Fawne, as above, of the other.

The first-named parties, with the assent of Thomas Wheate, who is a party hereto, assign to Fawne the share of £500 in Irish land due for Thomas Stone's subscription. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., by the first-named parties before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 316.

1648. 13 Dec. Indenture between Col. John Needham, now Governor of the City of York, Samuel Burrowes, of the county of the town of Nottingham, mercer, John Phillingham, or Fillingham, of the same, shoe-maker, and Mary his now wife, executrix of the last will of Thomas Woolley, her last husband, deceased, William Garton, of Gedling, in Nottingham, yeoman, and John Drewry, of Nottingham, butcher, of the one part, and Gilbert Millington, M.P., of the other.

The first parties invested in the Irish adventure in the name of Millington, who will hold in trust for them such lands as may be allotted in Ireland in respect of their joint subscription. They agree severally "and not jointly nor the one of them for another" to take such portions of the land allotted as may be found just with regard to the sums advanced by each of them, "without taking or pretending to have any advantage of any joint trust by survivorship or otherwise." Pending the partition, the rents of the property acquired shall be divided in proportion to the several subscriptions. Any of the participants who is aggrieved by the non-fulfilment of these agreements may sue in Millington's name and keep such damages as he may recover, he indemnifying Millington against loss by reason of such suits. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses by* Needham, Burrows, Fillingham, Garton and Drury. *Ibid.* 317, *ad fin.*

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17 July. Certificate by Thomas Bampfielde, Justice of the Peace for Devon.

Thomas Coomb, sometime of Broadclist, and now of Stoke Cannon, in Devonshire, and Wm. Musgrove, of Broadclist, soap-maker, who invested in the Irish adventure and whose lots have

fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary, made affidavit before him to-day that they have not doubled their receipts or converted them for profit, but have lost them. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed. S.P. Ireland* 300, 1.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £400, from Roger Mathews, of Dartmouth, in Devon, M.P. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 2 *and* 3.

1654. 22 July. Certificate by Laurence Wheeler, Mayor, and Walter Jago, Geo. Kyngcott, Andrew Voysey and John Martin, inhabitants and merchants of Dartmouth.

Andrew Mathew, Matthews, or Mathews, of Dartmouth, has been absent about $2\frac{1}{2}$ years from England "in the Chariba Islands, two years of which time (as we have been credibly informed) he remained there in captivity having unfortunately fallen on an island there in the power of Indians and savage people: and by Providence having gotten off from them" he arrived in Cornwall about six weeks since. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Signed by the above. Ibid.* 4.

26 Aug. Assignment by John Farley, citizen and grocer of London.

Assigning to John Blackwell the elder, of Mortlake, in Surrey, a share in the Irish adventure which he has by assignment (dated 10 Aug., 1654), from Andrew Mathew, the son of Roger Mathew, the original subscriber. Roger left the share to Andrew by his last will, dated 4 Nov., 1645. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 5.

10 Aug. Assignment by Andrew Mathew to Farley, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 6.

1646. Certificate by Henry Clerke.

10 Aug. The last will of Roger Mathew, dated 4 Nov., 1645, and proved 10 Aug., 1646, bequeathed his lands or profits in Ireland to his son (*see last but one*). *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 7.

1654. Certificate by the Mayor and Citizens of Dartmouth.

15 July. Andrew Mathew (as above) joined the Parliamentary force against the King's party, and for several years together was in garrison in Dartmouth, Plymouth, and Lyme Regis. He held no correspondence with the enemy, but risked his person in skirmishes and battles with them. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Signed (Hol.) by*:—

Laurence Wheeler, Mayor.	Alex. Staplihill.
Thos. Boone.	John Budley.
Nicholas Roope.	Edward Spurwaie.
Robert Barnes.	Will. Barnes.
Wm. Spurwaie.	John Holligrove.
Wal. Jago.	James Allward.
Anthony Plumleigh.	George Kennycott.
John Holegrove M[ajor ?].	John Hoyle.
John Bayne.	John Terry.
Andrew Voysey.	Ambrose Mudd.
John Martin.	John Lomer [?]
John Bowden.	Thos. Axford.
Robert Rod.	Nicholas Calley.

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Johan Rice [?]	Thos. Newman.
Wm. Lee.	George Sparke.
Thos. Simple.	John Martin.
Richard Wakhame.	Olyv[?] Hawkes.
Clement Palmer, *jun.*	George Grigg.
Thomas Adams.	Wm. Prout.
Henry Punchard.	Ephraim Escott.

Prout *signs with his mark.* *Pp.* 1¼. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 300, 8 *and* 9.

1 April. Certificate by Edward Vaghan, of Cheapside, London, goldsmith.

He well knew Henry Austen, late citizen and fishmonger of London, deceased, and Edward Austen, also citizen and fishmonger of London, now living, is his eldest and reputed son and heir and administrator of his chattels. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 10.

1643. 11 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £10, from Henry Austen [*sen.*], as above. *P.* ½, *with note* that the receipt was withheld till 31 Jan., 165¾, as Austen had not "made his subscription." *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 11.

1654. 1 June. Assignment by Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London.

Assigning the lot which he has by assignment from Edward Austen, or Austin, to Nicholas Brandon, of Boston, in Lincoln, merchant. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 12.

1 May. Assignment by Austen to Fosson, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing.* *Ibid.* 13.

1642. 1 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, for £150, from Michael Spencer, of Atterliffe [Attercliffe], in York. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 14.

165¾. 20 March. Certificate by Wm. Beckwith, Thos. Westby and Fr. Bethell, Justices for the County of York.

Michael Spencer, as above, is unable, by reason of his losses, to complete his subscription of £600 for land in Ireland. *P.* ⅔. *Signed and sealed by the parties.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 15.

1642. 31 March. 30 June. 1 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £100, from Thos. and Mathew Young, Younge, or Yonge, of London, brewers. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 16–18.

1654. 3 June. Assignment by Mathew and Thomas Young.

They assign the foregoing bill to Alexander Holt, *jun.*, of London, goldsmith. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* *Endd.* *Ibid.* 19.

6 Sept. Same by Wm. Croone, of same, clothworker.

Assigning to Nathaniel Manton, of London, merchant, the share in Irish land which he has been allowed in respect of a subscription

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by Henry Croone, of London, vintner, and which has fallen by lot in the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 300, 20.

23 Aug. Certificate by [Alderman] Thos. Andrewes, Wm. Underwood and Ro. Titchborne, Justices of the Peace for the City of London.

Henry Croone the elder adventured with others £200 for lands in Ireland, but only paid in £50. He then assigned this share to his brother William [*see No.* 24, *below*], to whom he owed money. Wm. Croone is too poor to complete the subscription. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 21.

1642. 13 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £150, from John Parker, Henry Croone and John Weed, citizens of London. *P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 23.

164⅔. 25 Feb. Assignment by Henry Croone.

Assigning his bill of £50 and all profits that may arise therefrom in Irish land to his brother William. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 24.

1642. 19 April. 9 July. 20 Sep. Three receipts—two by George Price, sheriff of Surrey, and a third by George Gildon [?], sub-sheriff, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Mrs. Anne Connock, of Kingston-on-Thames. *Each p.* ½ *or p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 25–27.

30 Dec. One of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £12 10*s.*, from same. *Endd. Ibid.* 28.

1654. 1 Nov. Assignment by Wm. Allen, of London, merchant.

Assigning to Nicholas Heyward, citizen and grocer of London, £50, part of his share of £200 in the Irish adventure. He has already assigned £50 to him. The land is in the barony of Eliogarty, co. Tipperary. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 22.

1642. 30 April. 16 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £300, from Wm. Allen, of London, vintner. *Each p.* ¼. *Endd. Ibid.* 29–31.

1654. 7 Sep. Deposition by Hanna Franckland.

She is the wife of Thomas Franckland, citizen and clothworker of London.

Her uncle Thomas Straton, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, is dead. No one at the time of his decease claimed to be his wife or child. He was killed in the Parliamentary service near Newborrow [Newbury] as deponent has heard. He has no other brother living save Fosbrooke Stratton, Esq. *P.* ½. *Signed with deponent's mark. Ibid.* 32.

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28 March. 19 July. 20 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Thomas Straton, Streaton, Stratton, or Stretton, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 33–35.

1654. 6 Sep. Certificate by John Woollaston, Thos. Andrewes and Thos. Atkin. Fosbrooke Stratton, of St. Alphage, Cripplegate, is too poor to complete the subscription of his brother, the late Thos. Stratton, of London, merchant. *P.* ¾. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Endd. Ibid.* 36.

Certificate by Duling Salmon.

The last will of George Scott, late citizen and grocer of London, dated 8 May, 1645, and proved 22 Feb., 164⅝, bequeathed his share in the Irish adventure to George, Edward and Grace, the three children of testator's brother Edmond. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Salmon. *Endd. Ibid.* 37.

1642. 16 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £100, from "the Right Worshipful George Scott, of London, Esq."

1643. 19 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £25, from "George Scott, citizen and grocer." *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 39.

1654. 3 Oct. Assignment by Henry Palmer, of Lambeth Marsh, in Surrey. He is "father in law" and lawful guardian of George, Edward and Grace Scott [*as in foregoing*]. He assigns the share in Irish land which he holds for them, for which lots have fallen in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary, to John Fullerton, citizen and clothworker of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 40.

2 Oct. Same by Fullerton, as above. Assigning the share which he has under the foregoing assignment to John Man, citizen and merchant-tailor, of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 41.

3 Oct. Assignment by George, Edward and Grace Scott. Assigning their adventure, as above, to Fullerton. *P.* ¾. *Signed &c., by* George and Edward *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 42.

1642. 18 April. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £70 from John Poulter, of London, yeoman. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 43.

1654. 21 May. Power by Poulter, of Truro, in Cornwall. Appointing Thos. Goodyear, of London, merchant, to "put in" his bills of £70 to the Committee of Claims. £50 of them belong to him and £20 to Goodyear. Authorises Goodyear to draw for him. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 45.

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24 April. Certificate by William Fry.

Robert Reed, brother of Ellis Reed, late of Axminster, in Devon, deceased, and John Loring, of Kilmington, father-in-law of the said deceased, deposed before him that Ellis Read died intestate. *P.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 46.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Two receipts by the Sheriff of Exeter, in all for £20, from Ellis Read, of Axminster, shoemaker. *P.* ½, *underwritten with*—

Certificate by Richard Roper, minister, Henry Anning, constable, and Robert White and Wm. Drew, churchwardens, of Kilmington, Devon.

Ellis Reed, as above, was living on 18 Feb., 165¾. *P.* ¼. *Signed by the above. In all, p.* ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 44.

1643. 22 July. 28 Sep. 164¾. 7 March. Three receipts by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £24 7*s.* 6*d.*, from Wm. Man and Wm. Pierce, wardens of the company of Basket-makers in London. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 47, 48 *and* 49.

1654. 18 Nov. Assignment by Christopher Boys and John Chandler, wardens, and John Olive and Jonas Deacon, assistants, of the "fraternity or society" of Basket-makers in London.

They assign a share of £22 17*s.* 8*d.* [*but see foregoing*] in Irish land, which has fallen in the barony of Upper Iveagh, co. Down, to Richard Deacon, citizen and clothworker of London. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses.* Deacon *signing with his mark. Endd. Ibid.* 50.

9 April. Same by Isaac Key, of Nayland, in Suffolk, say-maker.

In August, 1643, he delivered in "three pieces of coloured sayes, valued at £4 by the piece" as part of a subscription for lands in Ireland. He assigns the share due therefor to Thomas Spencer, citizen and skinner of London, and John Carter, citizen and stationer of the same. They may take such steps as they are advised for profiting by this assignment. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 51.

11 July. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for three pieces of coloured sayes, value £12, from Key, as above, *with note* that the receipt was withheld to this date. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 52.

165⅘. 30 Jan. Assignment by Spencer and Carter, as above [*No.* 51].

Assigning their interest, as above [*No.* 51], to Wm. Booth, citizen and skinner of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 53.

1654. 27 Oct. Deposition by Mathew Pitt, of Standerwick, in Somerset, clothier, eldest son and heir of Benjamin Pitt, deceased.

His father died about four years ago. Deponent never had any bills or receipts for the £50 paid in by his father. The bills have

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been lost and have not (to his knowledge) been satisfied or used to the prejudice of the State. *P.* ⅔. *Signed by* Pitt *and certified and dated by* John Page *and followed by—*

Certificate that Duling Salmon declared on Nov. 9, 1654, before the Committee [for the adventurers for lands in Ireland] that he had seen the will of Ben. Pitt and that it contained no gift or disposal of his Irish adventure. This declaration was made before Alderman Avery and five members of the Committee. *P.* ⅓, *in all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 54.

Same. Bond by Mathew Pitt, as above.

He is bound to the Protector in £100 to indemnify him against all future damage or claim in respect of a sum of £50 adventured by his father Benjamin Pitt for lands in Ireland. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 55.

1642. 9 May. 19 July. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £60, from Anthony Parker, minister, of Blagdon, in Somerset. *Each p.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 56–8.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

Anthony Parker, of Blagdon, in Somerset, made his will, dated 11 Aug., 1653, and proved 2 Sept., 1653, and therein gave his Irish adventure to his son Samuel. *P.* ⅓. *Ibid.* 59.

1654. 20 Nov. Assignment by Samuel Parker, as above, citizen and dyer of London.

Assigning his share, as above, to Robert Hammon, of London, merchant, in return for £30 paid him. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 60.

1655. 10 Nov. Same by Wm. Byrd, citizen and painter-stainer of London.

Assigning to Francis Bigg, of London, merchant, a share of £5 (doubled by the ordinance of July, 1643), in the Irish adventure, which he has by assignment from Wm. Haynes, of London, white-baker, and for which lots have fallen in the barony of Lune in Eastmeath. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

1643. 31 Oct. 18 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £5, from Wm. Haynes, of London, white-baker. *Each p.* ½. *Ibid.* 62 *and* 63.

1654. 14 Dec. Assignment by Haynes to Byrd, as mentioned above (*No.* 61) *P.* 1. *Signed with the mark of* Haynes, *&c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 64.

1655. 9 May. Deposition by Thomas Hotchkis, of Stanton by Highworth, in Wilts, clerk, aged about 45 years.

He subscribed £20 for rebels' lands in Ireland, but his receipt therefor is lost. It has not been converted for profit. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Hotchkis *and dated and certified by* Na. Hobart. *Ibid.* 65.

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27 June. Power by Hotchkis, as above.

To Giles Harding, citizen and baker of London, to draw for him his lot for Irish land. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 300, 66.

Assignment by same.

1655. Assigning his share (as above) to Giles Harding (as above). Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 67.

Certificate by Tibbs.

The last will nuncupative of Henry Robrough, or Roborough, clerk, Rector of the Parish Church of St. Leonard's, Eastcheap, made about a year before the last of December, 1649, contained no bequest of his adventure of £30 for lands in Ireland. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 68.

1650. Certificate by John and Mary Wallington.

20 Nov. Stephen Roborough, of Cambridge, gentleman, is the only son and heir of Henry Roborough, late of London, clerk. He is above 21 years of age, and—of his own free will and with the consent of Wallington Turner, and John Laken, dyer, citizens of London, who are his guardians and the sole executors of his father's will—has sold his share in Irish land to Robert Hammon, of London, merchant. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses* (Mary *signing with her mark*). *Endd. Ibid.* 69.

1642. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the
19 July. King and Parliament for £30 from Henry Robrough. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 70.

1655. Assignment by Robrough, *jun.*, to Hammon.

29 Nov. As mentioned in last but one. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 71.

165⅝. Assignment by Mary, the mother of George Seigneur, *alias* Lord,
7 Jan. late of the Tower Liberties, in London.

She has a share of £37 10*s.* in the Irish land, for which the lots have fallen in the barony of Rathconrath, co. Westmeath. This lot she has by bequest from her son and under a certificate of her poverty, signed by George Duke, Caleb Bancks and Francis Crips, Justices of the Peace for Kent [that she is not able to complete the subscription]. She assigns the share above-named to Sir Henry Tichborne, of Bewley, co. Louth, Kt. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 72.

1642. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between
26 March. the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from George Seigneur,
18 June. or Lord, as above. *Each p.* ½, *one endd. Ibid.* 73–75.
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1655. Certificate by Duke, Bankes and Crips, or Cripps, three Justices
30 May. for Kent, as referred to above [*No.* 72].

Mary Lord is too poor to complete her son's subscription. *P.* 1. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Endd. Ibid.* 76.

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29 April. 2 May. 13 July. 1 Oct. Four receipts by Richard Culme, Sheriff of Devon, and Henry Newte, sub-sheriff, in all for £225, from Peter Sainthill, of Bradnynch, in Devonshire. *On same page. P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 77.

1654. 19 April. Deposition by Henry Standly, of the Strand, in Middlesex.

He well knew Peter Sainthill, of Bradnynch, and has seen his last will. It contained no bequest of his Irish adventure. Samuel Sainthill, of the same, is his eldest son and heir. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by* Standly *and certified and dated by* John Page. *Endd. Ibid.* 78.

$165\frac{4}{5}$. 3 Jan. Same by Robert Colby.

A considerable sum of money was owing to him by Samuel, son and heir of Peter Sainthill. Hearing that the son had resolved to depart this kingdom by reason of his debts, deponent pressed him to assign to deponent the interest which he had through the investment of his father, Peter Sainthill, in the Irish adventure. Samuel Sainthill did this, having no other means of satisfying his debt. The assignment of this share was signed and dated before the Act of 26 Sept., 1653 (passed) for relief of poor persons upon certificates of three Justices, and the assignor was not aware that it was about to become law. Sainthill left England directly after the assignment and has not since returned. Deponent saw a letter of his to Mr. Jennings, to whom he owes money, dated from Paris, 2 Jan. [N.S.], $165\frac{4}{5}$, this last week. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Colby *and certified and dated by* Robert Aylett. *Ibid.* 79.

1655. 10 Dec. Same by Wm. Chapman, of St. Dunstan's in the West, aged about 40.

He was present when Peter Sainthill assigned to Robert Coleby, or Colby, of London, an indenture of bargain and sale of an adventure of £225. The assignment was dated 8 Sept., 1653, and deponent was a witness thereto. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 80.

1653. 23 Dec. Certificate by John Ireton, John Hooker, and Edward Roberts, Justices for Middlesex.

Robert Colby, as above, to whom a share of £225 was assigned by Samuel Sainthill, is too poor to make up the total of the subscription to £300, as originally promised. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed and sealed by the three justices, and with a note by* Graves that Hooker and Roberts were justices at the time this certificate was made, and that he believes Ireton was also. *In all, p.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 81.

8 Sept. Indenture of agreement between Samuel Sainthill and Robert Colby, as above.

Sainthill assigns his interest [*see foregoing documents*] to Colby, and empowers him to do what is necessary to profit by the assignment. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Sainthill. *Endd. Ibid.* 82.

Fragment of a bond.

A marriage was lately solemnised between Edward Craydon and Kathrine, his wife, who is the sister of John Godden. Edward, in consideration of receiving a marriage portion, promised to purchase

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lands and settle a good jointure on Kathrine in case she should survive him. If Edward Craydon or his heirs, &c., shall, when required to do so by John Godden or his executors, &c., lay out £200 in fee simple interest in land, and shall settle these lands for the use of himself and his wife for ever: and if also Craydon or his heirs before 24 June next procures Mildred Elcott, of Otterden in Kent, late wife of John Ellcott, late of Eastling in same, yeoman, deceased, to convey and settle all that messuage, &c., to certain uses hereafter mentioned; then this obligation [to be void]
* * * *Pp.* 2½. *A fragment on three pages. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 83-5.

165⅚. Bond by Walter Carnaby, of Westminster, Esq.

5 March. He binds himself in £50 to the Protector to indemnify the State against all future claims or losses on account of a receipt for £20 advanced in 1642 for the Irish adventure by Charles Richardson, late of London, fishmonger, deceased. The receipt is lost, but credit for it has been allowed by the Committee to Thomas, son and heir of Charles Richardson. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 86.

6 March. Deposition by Carnaby, as above, aged about 28.

Charles Richardson, as above, died about May, 1645. Neither Charles nor his son Thomas converted the lost receipt (mentioned in foregoing) for profit, and he has seen it since Charles' death. It is now mislaid. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Carnaby *and certified and dated by* Na. Hobart. *Ibid.* 87.

5 March. Certificate by Tibbs.

He has seen an administration granted to Sarah, the relict of Charles Richardson, in 1645. He probably died intestate as no will is attached to the administration. By an indenture of 18 Nov., 1645, between the late King and Sarah Richardson, of Stepney, the wardship of Thomas Richardson, as son and next to Charles Richardson, was granted to her, from which it appears he was Charles' son and heir. *P.* ¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 88.

21 Feb. Certificate by Aldermen Kendrick and Avery.

Charles Richardson subscribed £20 for houses and lands in Waterford in Ireland, in Sept., 1644, under the ordinance of July, 1643. This he did by paying in 500 couple of "Narsie Haberdines" according to an order of the Committee of 12 Aug., 1644. The receipt therefor is lost. Certificate accordingly. *P.* ½. *Signed by the aldermen. Endd. Ibid.* 89.

1658. Assignment by Ellen Levitt, of London, widow.

25 June. Assigning to Richard Kettlebuter, of St. Peter Vinckells [*ad Vincula*] in London, citizen and cutler, a sum of £20 in the Irish adventure formerly invested by Wm. Levitt, deceased. She is relict of William, and is also assignee of his brother Robert, citizen and haberdasher of London. The lot for this share has been drawn and has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 90.

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18 March. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £25, from Wm. Levitt, of London, woodmonger. *P.* ¾. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 91.

165⅚. 14 Feb. Certificate by Thos. Swallow, Solomon Smith and Richard Loton, Justices for London.

They certified on 24 Nov., 1653, that Wm. Levitt, of Whitechapel, in Middlesex, was too poor to complete his subscription for land in Ireland within three months after the passing of the Act "for speedy and effectual satisfaction, &c.," of 26 Sept., 1653. They now certify the same thing with regard to Ellen, widow and relict of Wm. Levitt. *P.* 1. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Ibid.* 92.

1653. 24 Nov. Certificate by same, as referred to in foregoing. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 93.

20 Oct. Assignment by Robert Levitt, as above.

The Committee at Grocers' Hall have given an opinion that his brother William's share descends to him as heir-at-law. He asigns it to his sister-in-law, Ellen. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 94.

1656. 2 Dec. Assignment by John Gillingham, of Winburne [Wimborne], in Dorset, cordwainer.

Assigning to Alexander Hatchett, citizen and haberdasher of London, which he has as assignee of Susan Thompson, of "Deptford," in Kent, widow and executrix of Isaac Thompson, late of "Durford," in the same, linendraper, and as assignee of John Clerke, Mary his wife, Henry Manning and Susan his wife—all of "Dartford aforesaid." Mary and Susan are the daughters and co-heirs of Isaac Thompson, as aforesaid, deceased. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 95.

Extract from the Public Register of the Diocese of Rochester, in Kent.

This extract shows that on the 12th of January, 164⅞, before Master Lancelot Carter, clerk surrogate [?], &c., the will was proved of Isaac Thompson, late of "Dartford," deceased. Administration was given to the widow. *P.* ½. *Certified by* P. Stowell, registrar. *Endd. Ibid.* 96.

1642. 30 April. 28 June. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £50, from Isaac Thompson, of "Darford," in Kent. *Each p.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 97 *and* 98.

1655. 2 July. Power by John Gillingham, as above.

Recites the subscription by Isaac Thompson, and the assignment of the share in Irish land due thereon by Susan, his widow, to himself [*see next document*]. He now appoints his friend, Thomas Stringfield, citizen and blacksmith of London, to demand, draw for, &c., this share. Ratification clause. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 99.

1 July. Assignment by Susan Thompson.

Assigning her interest in the Irish adventure of £50 to Gillingham, as above. *P.* ⅔, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 100.

1656.

12 Nov. Same by John and Mary Clarke and Henry and Susan Manning.

Assigning their shares as co-heirs of Isaac Thompson to Gillingham above. Mary and Susan are co-heirs and make this assignment to strengthen one by Susan Thompson [*see foregoing*]. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., by all the assignors before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 101.

Extract from the public registry of the Diocese of Rochester.

Contains the will of Isaac Thompson.

He bequeaths his lands in Dartford and Stone, in Kent, to his wife Susan for her life: the house he lives in to his grandson Isaac Manning, together with three acres of marsh ground lying in the level of the fresh marsh in the parish of Dartford, which he bought of one Robert Kettle, of Darent [Darenth], with all the appurtenances thereto belonging: to Mary Clarke, his daughter, the messuage and tenement whereon Anthony Woodden now lives, and which he bought of one Thomas Crows: to the same Mary another messuage wherein John Marter now lives, called by the Sign of the *Ship*, with a garden, &c.: to the same, an acre and three yards or thereabouts of land lying in the level of the salt marsh, which he himself occupies and which he bought from John Kettle, of Darenth: all these houses and lands being in Dartford parish. He gives to the same a piece of about seven acres lying in Stone, in Kent, which he bought of the same Robert Kettle.

To his daughter Susan he gives a piece of land lying in the parish of Dartford, in Kent, known by the name of the Checkers, which he bought of the same Robert Kettle—being about three acres. He also gives to Stephen Thompson, of Forditch, his brother, and to the rest of his kindred there £5, to be equally divided between them. He gives to Marie Greenaway and Dennis Jencks 40*s*. apiece; to Edward Evans, of Sutton, and Isaac Evans, his son, 10*s*. each. The rest of his property he leaves to his wife to discharge his debts and makes her sole executrix.

A codicil adds:—Testator had forgotten to dispose by his will of a messuage, &c., lying in Dartford, near St. Edmund's Hill and in the occupation of Goodman Holmes, a paper-maker. Reviewing his will on 21 Nov., 1647, he leaves this messuage, &c., to Susan, his daughter. *Pp.* 9, *with note of proof of the will before* Lancelot Carter, *as above* [*No.* 96], *in Jan.*, 1647. *Endd. Ibid.* 102.

4 Dec. Assignment by Thomas Springfield, citizen and blacksmith of London.

Recites the subscription of Isaac Thompson, of "Durford," as above (*Nos.* 97 *and* 98), the assignment of his widow and executrix to Gillingham (*No.* 100), the assignments to same by the Clarkes and Mannings (*No.* 101), and the power from Gillingham to himself (*No.* 99). He assigns the interest which he has thus acquired to Alexander Hatchett, citizen and haberdasher, of London. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 103.

165⁶⁄₇. Same by Alexander Hatchett, as above.

19 Feb. Assigning £25, part of the share of £50 assigned to him by foregoing, to Gilbert Marshall, of Houghall, in Durham. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnessss. Endd. Ibid.* 104.

1642.

1 April. 25 June. 1 Oct. Three receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £37 10*s.*, from Henry Lifkins, of London, merchant. *Each p.* ½. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 105, 106 *and* 108.

1656. 30 Nov. Certificate by George Cowper, Richard Lowther and Tobi Lisle, Justices for the co. Middlesex.

Lifkins, as above, is too poor to complete his subscription of £50. *P.* ¾. *Signed and sealed by the Justices. Ibid.* 107.

165⁶⁄₇. Same by Cowper, Lowther and ———.

22 Jan. Mary, the wife of Christopher Hall, of Goswell Street, Middlesex, lorimer, formerly wife and now executrix of the will of Henry Lifkins, deceased, is too poor to complete the subscription of £50 made by her late husband. *P.* ½, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 110.

20 Jan. Assignment by Alexander Hatchett, as above.

Assigning £25, part of his share, as above [*see Nos.* 103 *and* 104] to Wm. Tibbes, of London, stationer. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 109.

31 Jan. Assignment by Christopher and Mary Hall, as above.

Assigning their share of £37 10*s.*, as above, to Wm. Tibbs, citizen and stationer of London. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 111.

Certificate by Wm. Tibbs.

He has perused the last will and testament of Robert Houghton, of the parish of Olave's, Southwark, brewer, dated 25 Dec., 1653, and proved 7 Jan., 165¾, and finds therein no gift or bequest of his adventure for land in Ireland. *P.* ⅓. *Endd. Ibid.* 112.

1657. Certificate by the undersigned.

13 July. They well knew Robert Houghton, late citizen and brewer of London. His only reputed daughters are Martha, Sarah, and Hannah Houghton, Mary the wife of John Planar, brewer, and Elizabeth the wife of John Wilcox, brewer. He had no other children at the time of his decease. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Wm. Hiccoks, Francis Kirby, bridgemaster; Joseph Darnoll, at the Bridge House; Henry Grindley, at Battle Bridge; and Laurence West, brewer. *P.* ⅔. *Ibid.* 113.

1646. 22 Aug. Receipt by Richard Warburton for £40 from Robert Houghton. *P.* ½, *with a note by* Andrews and Avery. *Ibid.* 114.

23 May. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £40, from the same, citizen and brewer of London. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 115 *and* 116.

1657. 28 March. Indenture between Mary Houghton, John and Mary Planner (or Planar) and John and Elizabeth Wilcox [*as above, No.* 113] on the one part, and John Hawes, citizen and mercer of London, of the other.

Mary is the sole executrix of the late Robert Houghton's last will and is guardian of his daughters, Martha, Sara and Hannah. Planar and Wilcox are husbands of his other daughters. They assign all their interest in the subscription of the late Robert

1657.

Houghton, which amounts to £80, to John Hawes. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed, &c., before witnesses by the assignors. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 117.

164$\frac{1}{2}$. 23 March. 1 April. 17 June. 19 July. Four receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £200, from Henry Day, of London, mercer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 118, 119, 121 *and* 122.

1643. 25 Sep. 1644. 11 Jan. Two of same by the Treasurers of July, 1643, in all for £25, from same, of "Fanchurch Street," London, citizen and grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 120 *and* 124.

1642. 31 March. 19 July. Two of same by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £700, from Cornelius Burges, D.D., Vicar of Watford, Herts. *Each p.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 123 *and* 125.

165$\frac{7}{8}$. 15 Feb. Indenture of agreement between Barges, as above, since 1642 lecturer at St. Paul's, London, and now of Wells, in Somerset, and Robert Hammon, of London, merchant.

Barges assigns to Hammon all the 1,555a. 2r. 35p. (Irish measure), amounting to 2,519a. 2r. 35p. (English), allotted to him in the barony of Middlethird in Tipperary, in respect of his investment, as above—with all woods, fishings, &c. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Barges *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 126.

1644. 22 Oct. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £10 from Henry Wilkinson, of Faith's Parish, London, clerk. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Ibid.* 127, *Attached to—*

165$\frac{7}{8}$. 28 Jan. Assignment by Henry Wilkinson, D.D., now one of the prebendaries of Christ Church College, Oxford.

Assigning his share, as in foregoing, to John Lawson, citizen and grocer of London. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 128.

1642. 20 April. 2 July. Two receipts by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament, in all for £1,000, from Richard Salloway, of London, grocer. *Each p.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 129 *and* 130.

1658. 19 April. Indenture between Salwey, Sallway, or Salloway, as above, and George Clerke, of London, merchant.

Salwey assigns all his interest to Clark. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* "Salwey." *Endd. Ibid.* 131.

1643. 5 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers under the arrangement between the King and Parliament for £133 6*s.* 8*d.*, from Sir John Cordell, Kt. and Alderman of London. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 133.

1643.

9 Aug. Same by J. Madden and Richard Warburton for £66 13*s.* 4*d.*, from same; *with a note by the* Treasurers of July, 1643, certifying the receipt. *P.* ⅔. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 132.

1658. 21 Dec. Assignment by Robert Cordell, of Long Melford, in Suffolk, son and heir of Sir John Cordell, late knight and alderman of London, deceased.

Assigning the shares which he has through his late father's investment to Bartholomew Fosson, citizen and skinner of London. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 134.

1643. 26 Aug. Receipt by the Treasurers of July, 1643, for £10 paid in by Joseph Keeble, or Keble, of London, fishmonger. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 136. *Attached to—*

1659. 25 March. Deposition by Edward Taylor, citizen and girdler, of London.

He knew well Joseph Keeble, who died about eight years since. Samuel Keeble, aged nine years or thereabouts, is his only reputed son. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Taylor *and certified and dated by* Edmund Gyles. *Endd. Ibid.* 135.

List of persons who drew lands in the barony of Lecale, co. Down.[1]

In North-East Quarter, No. 1:—Robert Hamond, Wm. Burman and Anne Bateman and sisters.

In South-East Quarter, No. 2:—Thomas Barwick, Edmond Kiddermister, George Hudson, Nathaniel Humfreys, John Gefferies, Sir Henry Tichborne, Robert Hamond.

In South-West Quarter, No. 3:—Tobias Frere.

In North-West Quarter, No. 4:—John Coulson and Edward Bushell.

P. ½, *followed by—*

List of those who drew lands in the barony of Upper Iveagh, co. Down.

In North-East Quarter, No. 1:—The Basketmakers' Co., who assigned to William Hawkins.

In the South-East Quarter, No. 2:—William Hawkins.

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(1) This is the first of a number of lists, all of which show:—

(*a*) The "quarter" or portion of the barony in which the lot of a given adventurer fell.

(*b*) The amount of money which he adventured.

(*c*) *and* (*d*) The number of acres in English and in Irish measure which was allotted to him.

Many of the names which appear in the following lists have already appeared in the less complete lists contained in *S.P. Ireland* 285 (*for which see Calendar of S.P. Ireland* 1647 to 1660, *pp.* 488-544). The lists here calendared are, however, fuller than those in *S.P. Ireland* 285, and give particulars which are not there given. They are accordingly given in this volume. The sums adventured and the acreage allotted are given in the MS. in each case: but it has been thought unnecessary to give these details here.

In the South-West Quarter, No. 3 :—(1) N.E., Wm. Barker; (2) S.E., Wm. Barker and Thos. Browker; (3) S.W., Wm. Hawkins, Wm. Greenehill and Eliz. Fewster; (4) N.W., Joseph Biscoe, Mary Wood, Michael Ashton, Thomas Thynne, and Edmund Wagstaffe.

In the North-West Quarter, No. 4:—Wm. Hawkins.

P. 1 (*large*). *S.P. Ireland* 300, 137.

Similar list for the barony of Dees [Deece], co. Meath.

In the North-East Quarter :—John Juxon, Wm. Wagstaffe, John and Arthur Juxon, Thomas Vincent and Robert Ellis, Mathew Bigg; and Thos. Juxon as assignee of Peter Langley.

In the South-East Quarter:—Thos. Hodges, Miles Briggs, Samuel Eliott and Thos. Briggs, John Partridge and John Garth, Nathaniel Micklethwaite and Thos. Waterhouse.

In the South-West Quarter :—Herbert Morley, Richard Masters, John Russell and William Lane, Richard Barnard and Gulielma Maria Springate.

In the North-West Quarter:—(1) N.E., John Proctor, Edmund Stanton, Edmund Austin and John and Jeremiah Wood, assignees to Thos. Juxon; (2) S.E., John Prat, Philip Tandy, and Edward Noseworthy; (3) S.W., Thos. and Richard Turnor; (4) N.W., Sir Thos. Wharton, Barnaby Meares, Thos. Ballard, and Edward Pattison, assignee to Meares.

P. 1. *Ibid.* 138.

Similar list for the barony of Lune, co. Meath.

In the North-East Quarter :—James Levet, Charles Potts, Robert Moulsworth, George Clarke, and Thos. Vincent.

In the South-East :—Henry Parsons and Samuel Warner.

In the South-West :—(1) S., Josias Hunt and Thos. Cooke; (2) Between N. and S., Lady Lucas, Francis Willoughby, James Kendall, and Nicholas Brandon; (3) N., Samuel Warner.

In the North-West:—(1) N.E., Richard Culmer, Sir Henry Tichborne, Robert Gardner, John Pye, and Wm. Bunston; (2) S.E., James Knowles, John Kingston, John Child, and George Wyan—assigned to Francis Bigg and John Kilby; (3) S.W., Richard Beaumont, Isaac Gold, his wife and children; Will Eccleston's children; Will Marshall; (4) N.W., Thomas Towley and Thos. Stratton.

P. 1. *Acreages and sums as in foregoing. Ibid.* 139.

Similar list for the barony of Moghergallen [Morgallion], co. Meath.

In the North-East Quarter :—Gabriel Barber, John and Joseph Barber, Ralph Minors, Isaac Puller, Anne Webb, Richard Willett, Eliah Palmer.

In the South-East Quarter:—David Hoare, Samuel Morris, Arthur Squib, Francis Duke, Thos. Pidcock, Richard Graves, John Bentley, Abraham Tuffnayle, Francis Rogers.

In the South-West Quarter:—(1) E., George Clarke, Robert Moulsworth, John Bligh and Thomas Watson; (2) W., Samuel Dabbe, Henry Roche, Heritage Hartford, Benjamin King and Richard Deacon.

In the North-West:—Ambrose Moore, John Nary, Joseph Brand, John Gregory, Thomas Clarke, Robert Moulsworth, Jonathan Goddard and Francis Thompson.

P. 1. *Acreages and sums as in foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 300, 140.

Similar list for the barony of Skreen, co. Meath.

In the North-East:—The companies of London.

In the South-East:—(1) N.E., Charles Fox, George Ewer, Richard Higgins, Henry Beadle, Thos. Babington, James Fisher and Daniel Cantlin, George Clarke, John Osborne, Clement Spilman, and the Waxchandlers; (3) S.W., William Lawson, John Brownjohn, Angelo Bell and Mathew Randolph; (4) N.W., Edward White, Samuel Edlin, Richard Bates, Francis Archer.

In the South-West Quarter:—Sir David Watkins and Richard Browne, Esq.

In the North-West:—The Companies of London.

P. ½, *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Navan.

North-East Quarter:—Clement Spilman; Richard Lloyd; Thomas Barnardiston for his children, Thomas Vincent assignee of Beale (?), Philip Tandy, Ambrose Moore.

South-East Quarter:—Major Will. Cadogan, assignee of Blunt Sadler; Richard Castle, James Wainwright, Thomas Juxon, Alexander Jackson.

South-West Quarter:—John Tillett, Thomas Vincent (2); Robert Seymour, assignee of John Hall.

North-West Quarter:—Lady Harrington, Thomas and John Taylor, John Soowin, John Parker, Thomas Pearce, Henry Burton, Ann Ballard, John French, Thomas Cocke.

With note signifying that other names are to be drawn for this barony.

P. ½, *in all p.* 1. *Ibid.* 141.

Similar list for the barony of Slane, co. Meath.

North-East Quarter:—George Brigstock, Richard Ashurst, Sir Thos. Wharton, Sir William Waller, Sir Gilbert Gerhard.

South-East Quarter:—Thomas Vincent assignee of Sir Jacob Gerrard, Thomas Field and John Burroughes.

South-West Quarter:—Sir John Barrington, Sir Wm. Masham, William and John Arnold.

North-West Quarter:—John Gold, Thomas Field, Mathias and Mary Child, Wm. Ball, Richard Culmer, John Goodman (assigned to Francis Bellers), Job Weale, Edward Turner, Alexander Pym.

P. 1. *Names and acreages given as above. S.P. Ireland* 300, 142.

List of names [of those who drew lands in the barony of Kilkenny West].

Thomas Hamond, Edwd. Woodward, Dame Jane Wharton, Francis Drake, Sir Mathew Brand, Eliz. Hamond, Richard, per John Hampden, Wm. Jessop, John Temple, Thomas Temple, Will Baker, George Farmer, Nath. Fines and Henry Pitt.

P. ½. *Underwritten*:—"The South No. 2 Kilkenny," *but with the underwriting erased. Ibid.* 142*a*.

List of those who drew lands in the barony of Eglish, in King's Co.

In the North-East Quarter:—(1) N.E., Hugh Latymer, John Parker, Elizabeth Gay, John Seaward, Wm. Atkins, John Boyte, John Bayly, Francis Fryer, Thos. Poyntington, John Rowe, John Anell, Peter Swete, Anne Page, Martin Parris, Wm. Farr; (2) S.E., Richard Porter and John Cobb; (3) S.W., James Marshall, Roger Somers, Charles Hopping, Francis Lippingcott; (4) N.W., Robert Trescott, Joseph Clarke, Nicholas Brooking and Christopher Clarke, *jun.*

In the South-East Quarter:—Samuel Dabbs, Richard Bury, John Wood, Symon Clarke & Co., George Townsend and John Wright.

South-West Quarter:—Edward Anthony, Anthony Farrington, Caldwell Farrington and Thomas Stubbins; Christopher Gibbs, John Harrison, Richard Chandler and George Plucknett.

P. 1. *Sums and acreages given. Ibid.* 143.

Similar list for the barony of Garricastle, King's Co.

In the North Quarter:—Lord Wenman, Samuel Role, John Role, Philip Packer, John Sadler, Richard Queney, Henry Harwell.

North-Middle Quarter:—John Sweeting, Humphry Mackworth, John Marriott, Wm. Hevingham, James Cox, John Blinckhorne.

South-Middle Quarter:—Gregory Clement and Will Botterill.

South:—John Pye, Gregory Clement, Mary Fountain.

P. ½; *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Ballybritt.

North-East Quarter:—Thomas Vincent, Alderman Richard Tigh.

South-East Quarter :—John Holland, Nathaniel Andrewes, Thomas Vincent, as assignee of Clement Hobson and in his own right.

South-West Quarter:—Thomas Vincent, Robert Reynolds, Francis Collins, John and Henry Honour.

North-West Quarter:—Rawlinson, now [*i.e.*, assignor to] Andrewes and Estwick, Edward Wood, John Rowlinson, Samuel Penoyer *per* [?] Alderman Tigh, Charles Harris, Wm. Booth.

Sums and acreages as in foregoing. P. 1 (*large*). *S.P. Ireland* 300, 144.

List of those who drew lands in the barony of ————.

South-West Quarter :—Lord Lisle and John Clarke.

North-West Quarter :—Richard Short, Robert Smith, Charles Cheney, Alderman Richard Tigh, ass[ignee] of James Banton, Wm. Loup, John Stevenson, Will. Woodhouse, Charles Fleetwood, Thomas Walmesley.

P. ½, *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Geashill, King's Co.

North-East Quarter :—George Clarke.

South-East :—John Seeling and Solomon Sibly.

South-West :—Josua Woolnough.

North-West :—Margaret Beach, Rebecca Carter, Richard Husband and Anne Tayleboyse, John Guy, Edmund Seyman, John Poulter.

P. 1. *Sums and acreages as above. Ibid.* 145.

Similar list of those who drew lots in the North-West Quarter of ————.

Christopher Clarke, Nicholas Brooking, the Lord Protector, Sir John Dryden, Thomas Burch, Joseph Mordock, Michael Pendleton, Richard Cary, Mary Fillingham, Wm. Goddard, Wm. May.

P. ⅓, *followed by*—

Similar list for the parish of Lismagh, King's Co.

In the North :—Hugh Nettleship and Elizabeth Bradshaw.

In the North-Middle :—Edward Smyth and Wm. Woodhead.

In the South-Middle :—John Hurst.

In the South :—Edward Smyth, Overington Blunden and John Young.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as usual. Ibid.* 146.

Note of certain queries as to where certain of the adventurers have drawn. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 147.

List of persons who drew lands in [the barony of Cullenagh, Queen's Co.].

In the North-West Quarter:—Christopher Searles, Sarah Brockett, Richard Chillingworth, Thomas Crowder, Elizabeth Delmey, Peter Ducane, Silvester Dennis, Christopher Gray, Thomas Underhill and Francis Tyton, Jeremiah Rushley in his own right and as assignee to Bifield, Samuel Lin, Mary Reade, John Sanden, Wm. Slade, Henry Stanbridge, William Searle, Gamaliel Voyce, John Shewell, Ellin and Sarah White, Thomas Young, Dorothy Yeates, Wm. Whittaker and his wife, Margaret Glascock, Isaac Foster, Hester Wharton.

P. ⅔, *the name of the barony not mentioned at head, but followed by—*

List of those who drew lots in the barony of Cullenagh.

North-East Quarter:—Thomas Juxon and Robert Westerne, John Elford.

South-East:—Arthur Barnardiston, James Pollyne, John Noseworthy, Dorothy Watson and Thos. Vincent.

P. 1. *Sums and acreages as usual. S.P. Ireland* 300, 148.

Similar list for the barony of Maryborough.

North-East Quarter:—Jane Sheffield, John Weekes.

South-East Quarter:—Sir David Watkins, Theodore and Periam Poole.

South-West Quarter:—Richard Harman, Miles Corbett, Peter Barrett, Mountford Brampton, Mountford Fowler, Mountford Spilman, Sir Edward Barkham.

North-West Quarter:—Sir David Watkins, Benedict Barefoot, John, Nath. and Eliz. Scarlett.

P. ½. *Sums and acreages given as above, followed by—*

Similar list for the barony of Slievemargy.

North-East Quarter:—Robert Gardner and Patient Wallen, Francis Ellis, Heneage Fetherston and George Almery.

South-East Quarter:—(1) E., George Arnold, Eliz. Parker, John Dethick, Sir Roger Tichborne, Richard Heydon, John Champnies; (2) between E. and W., Charles Lloyd; (3) W., Christopher Merrick, George Thomazon and Judith Constantine.

P. ½. *Sums and acreages given as above. In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 149.

Similar list for the barony of Portnahinch.

North-East Quarter:—(1) N.E., John Barnard, Margaret Bennett, Anthony Austin, Anthony Dennis, John Dyke, John Ellis, William

Greenings, Robert Gibbs, John Heard, Jonathan Hanmer, Wm. Johns, John Richards, George Luxon, John Thomas, Thomas Wadland; (2) S.W., Thomas Vincent and Elizabeth Dingley; (3) N.W., Jane and Susan Pordage, Miles Corbitt.

South-East Quarter :—(1) N.E., Thomas Vincent, Robert Beale, William Davie, William Bewley [and?] Western, John Beale, Joan Biddle, (2) S.E., George Strang, Wm. Leggatt. Richard Broomer, Wm. Miller; (3) S.W., Wm. Munday, John Alderton, John Martin, Henry Bristow; (4) N.W., Thomas Bewley *now* Robert Westerne.

South-West Quarter :—Thomas Vincent [and?] Wm. Kendall, Wm. Garton, Sampson Sheafe, Humphrey Lang, Michael Spencer.

North-West Quarter :—Thomas Vincent.

P. 1. *Sums and acreages as foregoing.* *S.P. Ireland* 300, 150.

Similar list for the barony of ———.

Containing eighteen names of adventurers, the names of the barony not given.

P. ½, *followed by*—

Similarlist for the barony of Tinnehinch [Tinnahinch], Queen's Co.

North-East Quarter :—Henry Whitaker, Wm. Ofield, Everard Roberts assigned to Robert Hammon.

South-East Quarter :—John Wood.

South-West Quarter :—Wm. Strode.

North-West Quarter :—Wm. Strode, Wm. Woodhouse, John Merrick. *P.* ½. *Sums, &c., as in foregoing.* *Ibid.* 151.

Similar list for the barony of Dennifore, co. Westmeath.

North-East, South-East, and South-West Quarters :—The Companies of London.

North-West Quarter :—George Dover, Gabriel Becke, Thos. Hussey, Peter Prince, Thos. Lenthall, James Clarke, John Claydon, John Loame.

P. ½, *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Moyashel or Mogherediernan [Magheradernon].

North-East Quarter :—Francis Parsons, William Barton, Thomas Swift, Edward Vaughan, Sir John Witterong.

South-East Quarter :—John Rolfe, John Buckland, Nicholas Field, John Fleming, Edward East, Ellis Crisp.

South-West Quarter :—Moses Jenkins, Wm. Cove, John Thompson, Wm. Henman, Richard Sherbrooke, Norton Westrow, Will. Hitchcock, Thos. Cole, Giles Harding, assignee of Hotchkiss.

P. ½. *Sums, &c., as above.* *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 152.

Similar list for the barony of Fartulla.

North-East Quarter :—Wm. Methould.

South-East Quarter :—Richard Venner, assignee of Thos. Smith, Michael Babington, Henry Sprig, Richard Venner.

South-West Quarter:—Wm. Methould (2), Sarah Inworth, Thomas Illingworth.

North-West Quarter :—Laurence Brinley, Wm. Official, John Lock, assignee of Rebecca Pemberton.

P. ½. *Sums, &c., as above, followed by—*

Similar list for the barony of Stradbally, Queen's Co.

North-East Quarter :—(1) E., The Corporation of Gloucester, Wm. Field, (2) W., Thomas Ingle ; Wm. Penoyer, assignee to John Hailes, Tobias Winckfield, Richard Evans.

South-East Quarter :—Anthony Springate, Alderman Vincent, Charles Vaughan.

South-West Quarter :—Wm. Hiccocks, Godfrey Reeve, Gabriel Benyon, Benjamin Collior, or Eliza Colior, and Mary Clare, Peter Dellenoy, Henry Hawkes, Peter Houblon, for himself and for Daniel Mercer's children, Sarah Mercer for her son Thomas Hudson, Robert Barefoot, John Nobbs, John Williams, John Tarleton, George Meggott and John Reynolds.

P. ½. *Sums, &c, as above. In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 153.

Similar list for the barony of Kilkenny [West], co. Westmeath.

North Quarter :—Elisha Coysh, Richard Shuttleworth, Wm. Needham, Lord Commissioner Lisle, Wm. Stone, John Searle, Robert Hayles, Benjamin Flesher, Richard Crossing and John Martin, George Clarke, assignee of John Allured, Nathaniel Markes assignee of George and Joseph Vaughan.

South Quarter :—Lady Wharton for herself and as assignee of Patrick Bamford; Sir Thomas Dacres, assignee to Robert Goodwin; Wm. Priestly, *now* Lady Wharton; Roger Drake, Sir Mathew Brand and Elizabeth Hamond ; John Hampden and Edward Woodward, Col. Thomas Hampden and John Temple ; — Temple, Wm. Baker, Robert Goodwin, Benj. Goodwin, George Farmer, Wm. Hussey, Nathaniel Fiennes and Henry Pitts, Wm. Jessop, assignee of Charles Rich, John Daves (whose name is not in Mr. Tibbs' book).

P. 1, *the names mentioned under South-East Quarter are crossed out, but legible. Sums, &c., as in foregoing. Ibid.* 154.

Similar list for the barony of Rathconrath.

North-East Quarter :—(1) N.E., Richard Floyd, assignee of Robert Lambeth, Margaret Aldersey, Edward Wytham ; (2) S.E., Daniel Waldoe, Deputy Hobson, Tobias Randolph ; (3) S.W., Richard Floyd ; (4) N.W., Richard Lobb, Lady Armyne, Christopher Whitchcott.

South-East Quarter:—The following, being adventurers of Dartmouth—Thomas Halswell, Arthur Riddle, assignee to Richard Deacon who was the assignee of Stapli[hi]ll, Robert Bearnes, Roger Spark, Blanch Langdon, John Hollowgrove, Edward Spurway, Laurence Wheeler, Nicholas Roope, John Amerideth, Joseph Cubitt, Clement Palmer, Benjamin Clement, George Lee, John Planleigh, Richard Forwood, Wm. Barnes, Lucy Cary, Tristram Lane, Thomas Lidston, Emanuel Woolley, Gilbert Staplehill, John Barnes, Robert Mayne, Benedict Watts, Symon Voysey, Ephraim Escott, John Rich, Walter Mansfield, Robert Wood, Henry Penny, Philippa Hoyle, Wm. Taylor, Anthony Harford, Arthur Upton, Christopher Wheeler, Walter Jagoe, Stephen Knowling, Samuel Irish, Joan Matthews, Wm. Fabian, Eliza Morris, Thomas Pendarvis.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as above. S.P. Ireland* 300, 155.

Similar list for the barony of O'Neilland, co. Armagh.

North-East Quarter:—Francis Cole, Francis Barlow, Symon Dring, Robert Scargill, Thomas Swift, Anne Creswick, John Cocke, Wm. Collins, Robert Dring, Edward Sanderson.

South-East Quarter:—Thomas and Henry Hampson.

In the West Quarter:—Sir Wm. Brereton, Erasmus Smyth, Thos. Owen, Francis Russell.

North-West Quarter:—Richard Farmer, Thomas King, George Warple, Tym[othy] and Nath[aniel] Rich, and Ben[jamin] Wade, Edward Sutton, David and Richard Leader, Christopher Lippiatt.

P. $\frac{2}{3}$. *Sums, &c., as before, followed by—*

Similar list for the barony of Armagh, co. Armagh.

North-East Quarter:—Edmund Lewen.

South-East Quarier:—Ralph Triplett and William Barton, John Perrey, the heirs of Christopher Love, Richard Betsworth and Wm. Shower.

South-West Quarter:—James Smyth, Robert Stanton, *now* Sir Wm. Brereton, Edmund Lewin.

North-West Quarter:—John Perry.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as above. Ibid.* 156.

Similar list for the barony of Connello, co. Limerick.

North-East Quarter:—(1) N.E., John Bridges; (2) S.E., Thos. Boone, Giles Harding, Wm. Thompson, John Field, John King, Josias Tunbridge, Henry Poole, Wm. Sumpner, Elizabeth Durrant, Thomas Latymer, Giles Harding; (3) S.W., Giles Harding, Robert Parkhurst assigned to Giles Harding, Wm. Hampton, James Webster, Robert Dawes, Henry Wrigley; (4) N.W., John Jurin (2), Benjamin Ducane, John Bridges, Isaac Jurin.

South-East Quarter :—(1) S., Samuel Avery and James Houblon; (2) N., Charles Lloyd, Stephen Eastwick, Francis Bigg, James Lordell, Thomas Tucker, Thomas Pargiter.

South-West Quarter :—(1) E., Benjamin Andrews and Wm. Currer, Peter Seddon assigned to Giles Harding, Stephen White, Thomas Walters assigned to Giles Harding, John Gardner; (2) W., Wm. Shippey, Nathaniel Burt and John Liddall assigned to Giles Harding, Robert Parkhurst, John and Ann Savell, Adam Gaskell, Roger Holt assigned [or assignee?] to Giles Harding, John Foster assigned [or assignee?] to same.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as in foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 300, 157.

Same list for the barony of Connay [Coonagh], co. Limerick.

North-East Quarter :—Henry Poulsteed and Edward Hill.

South-East Quarter :—Thos. and Wm. Harding.

South-West Quarter :—Giles Harding and John Barrett.

North-West Quarter :—Wm. Puckle *now* Robert Barrett, Edmund Harrison, Edward Scott, Robert Scott, Edmond Blake.

P. $\frac{1}{3}$. *Sums, &c., as usual, followed by—*

Similar list for the barony of Pubblebrien, co. Limerick.

North-East Quarter :—Richard White, Nicholas Bagbeare, Wm. Osborne, Wm. Deane, Thomas Blosse *now* Richard Scutt, Thos. Deane.

South-East Quarter :—Nathaniel Manton, Mary Fowler and George Peacock.

South-West Quarter :—Wm. Harryman, Wm. Atkins, Nathaniel Manton and John Bond.

North-West Quarter :—Christopher Knight, Mathew Ower, Mary Shebber and Ruth Newberry, John Lumbard, Richard Sweete (2), Ralph Harman, Christopher Parr, Arthur Munday and Wm. Syms.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as in foregoing. Ibid.* 158.

Similar list for the barony of Kenry, co. Limerick.

North-East and South-East Quarters :—Richard Bury and John Whitway.

South-West Quarter :—Richard Bury and John Whitway, Philip Palmer, Nicholas Oliver, Wm. Bartlett, Samuel Puerdon, Will Bassett, Walter Lawrence, Susan Shirley, Anthony Moore, John Bury, John Partridge [*erased*], David Langdon, John Stevens, Wm. Baglethole, Eliza Calcott, Martin Hollman, Samuel Johns, Wm. Shebber, Ann Small, John Tracy, Philip Veale, Thomas Walter, Thomas Wren.

North-West Quarter :—Richard Bury and John Whitway.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as usual. Ibid.* 159.

Similar list for the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary.

List similar to that in Prendergast's "Cromwellian settlement in Ireland," pp. 204-5, *q.v.*
P. 1. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 160.

Similar list for the barony of Eliogarty, co. Tipperary.

See Prendergast, as above, p. 206–7.
P. 1. *Sums and acreages as usual. Ibid.* 161.

Similar list for the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary.

See Prendergast, pp. 201–3, *which is similar to this with unimportant differences.*
P. 1. *Sums, &c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 162.

Similar list for the barony of Ikerrin, or Ikerkin, co. Tipperary.

See Prendergast, as above, p. 209, *which is similar to this with unimportant differences of spelling, &c.*
P. 1. *Figures, &c., as above. The name* Henry Day *which appears in Prendergast is not in this list. Ibid.* 163.

Similar list for the barony of Ileagh, co. Tipperary.

See Prendergast, as above. Ibid., p. 208.
P. ¾. *Sums, &c., as usual. Ibid.* 164.

Similar list for the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary.

See Prendergast, as above, pp. 199–200.
P. 1. *Sums, &c., as above. Ibid.* 165.

Similar list for the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, co. Waterford.

North-East Quarter :—(1) E., Obadiah Weekes, Daniel Enderby, Willm. Bolton and Willm. White, Symon Smith, as assignee to Lady Maynard, Robert Child, James Clarke, Charles Doyley, Robert Barrett, Thomas Weekes and John Nittles; (2) W., Willm. Gibbs, Thos. Jenner, Joseph Carrell, Thos. Phillips, Thos. Rosse.

South-East Quarter :—John Clarke, John Bright, Samuel Moody, John Grocer.

South-West Quarter :—Thomas Lincoln, Miles Birkett, Hugh Grove, Richard Murrall, Thomas, assignee to Edward Story, John

Fiske, Henry Smith, John Sparrow, Philip Sparrow, Thos. Bright, assigned to Thos. Fiske, Samuel Watson, John Lucas, James Russell.

North-West Quarter :—John Lane, Sir Wm. Strickland, Cornelius Holland, John Lee, Edward Story and Gunter Morrell.

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as before. S.P. Ireland* 300, 166.

Similar list for the barony of Decies, in the same.

North East Quarter :—(1) East, Richard Waring ; (2) W., Wm. Sherlock, Wm. Weston, Mark Bradley, the widow of George Bradley, John Harper, John Rothwell, and Luke Fawne, assignees to Wm. Sheppey ; Mary Beale, Wm. Cooper.

South-East Quarter :—(1) N.E., John Allen, Anne Cheney, John King, Joseph Smith, John Wells, Richard Dawes ; (2) S.E., Wm. Mullins, assignee to Kathrine Smith, Ellis Good, Robert Beard ; (3) S.W., Richard Lotton and Thos. Whalley ; (4) N.W., Thomas Irons, Richard Irons, Stephen Archbold, Will. Blackborrow, Wm. Scale, Nathaniel Adams, Henry Coles, Wm. Rathband, Thomas Banister, John Lee.

South-West Quarter :—Elizabeth Ball, widow [?], assignee to Robert Robins ; Thomas Brightwell, John Mayne, Symon Burton, John Lovering, Richard Winston's children, as follows :—Richard, Dorothy, and . . . . Winston [*document imperfect here*].

P. 1. *Sums, &c., as before. Ibid.* 167.

Similar list for the barony of the Liberties of Waterford, in the same.

East Quarter :—Elias Roberts and John Harrington.

East-Middle :—Mary Buller.

West Middle :—Thomas Hussey, *jun.*

West :—Thomas Smith, John Yates, Wm. Lowe, Ithiell Smart, Edward Pinner.

P. ½. *Sums, &c., as before. Ibid.* 168.

A "devident" of the lands belonging to the adventurers lying most contiguous to the City of Waterford adventured for upon the ordinance of 4 July, 1643.

The first number, is agreed, shall begin his measure at the East end, No. 1, and to measure in order and course towards the West.

The names are as follows in order :—Col. Gower, Overington Blunden, Barnardiston, Col. Webb, Gregory Clement, Richard Thrale, Elias Roberts, Alderman Smith and Richard Drewry, Alderman Avery, Thomas Andrews, Thomas Juxon, Alderman Witham, Richard Staper [?], Jerom Alexander.

P. ½. *Sums given, but not acres. Ibid.* 169.

Similar list to last but one for the barony of Belfast, co. Antrim.

North-East Quarter:—John Alwood and John Ash, Ralph Clarke and Andrew King.
South-East:—Ash and Alwood as above, Thomas Bretland, Paul Fletcher, Samuel Langworth.
South West:—Benjamin and Joseph Heathcott, Thomas Macumber, Richard Wood.
North-West:—Will. Pitcher, Nicholas Parry, John Sturdey, John Steele.
P. ½, *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Dunluce.

North-East Quarter:—Maurice Thompson.
South West:—Sir John Clotworthy and Charles Doe.
South East:—John Hawes, John Brookhaven, John Harris now John Fisher, Samuel Cooper and John Lucas, Nath. Overton, Thomas Tipping and Wm. Peckett.
North-West:—John Mosyer, James Edwards, John Wood, John Gay and Wm. Robins.
P. 1. *Sums, &c., as usual.* *S.P. Ireland* 300, 170.

Similar list for the town of Carrickfergus.

The names of the adventurers are Thomas Pepis, Charles Farwell and Henry Delanne.
P. ½. *Sums, &c., as usual.* *Ibid.* 171.

Similar list for the barony of Massereene.

North-East:—Sir John Clotworthy.
South-East:—Same and Henry Austin.
South-West:—Henry Austin, John Terrill and John West.
North-West:—Edmund Highgate, George Hughes, Hannah King and Edward Moseley.
P. 1. *Sums, &c., as usual.* *Ibid.* 37.

Similar list for the barony of Tuteraux, co. Armagh.

North-East, South-East and South-West Quarters:—Maurice and George Thompson.
North-West Quarter:—John Shepherd, Thomas Bladen and Maurice Thompson.
P. ½, *followed by*—

Similar list for the barony of Ards, co. Down.

North Quarter:—Henry Whalley.
North Middle:—Erasmus Smith.

South Middle :—Wm. Hawkins.

South :—Thomas Russell, Robert Barrowe, George Clarke and Wm. Hawkins.

P. ½. *Sums, &c., as usual. In all, p.* 1. *S.P. Ireland* 300, 173.

Similar list for the barony of Connello.

North-West Quarter :—(1) N.E., Thomas and Abraham Chamberlain ; (2) S.E., Thomas Lyon, John Speller, John Barrett, Robert Leaver, Sir Nicholas Crispe, Robert Norman, Nicholas Lockier, Robert Parsons, Henry Ashurst assigned to Giles Harding, Joseph Rewth assigned to same ; (3) S.W., Richard Hunt ; (4) N.W., Sir Nicholas Crispe, Thomas Chamberlain, Richard Hunt.

P. ⅔. *Sums, &c., as usual. Ibid.* 174.

Similar list containing the names, with figures, as usual, but the name of the barony not given.

P. 1. *Ibid.* 175.

Similar list for the barony of Rathconrath, co. Westmeath. [*See also above, pp.* 349-50.]

South-East Quarter :—(1) [E.?] Barbary Bake, Anthony Fetiher, Robert Jago, John Browne, Francis Vring, Arthur Upton, Barsheba Newcoming and others, Wm. Cary, Wm. Clarke, Edmund Horswill, Mary Davy, Walter Bird, Anthony Follett, Wm. Wootton, Robert Stonman, Anthony Mudd, John Lorner, Walter Jago, Dorothy Mudd ; (2) W., Roger Nicholls, Henry Henley, Miles Corbett, Richard Shelbury, John Shephard, *per* Joshua, Arthur Ruddle, as assign of Philippa Packenham and of Richard Deacon, who was assign of J. Catlin, Katherine Baker, Moses Wall, Wm. Woodman, John Sowden, Richard Tigh.

South-West Quarter :—Henry Arundell, Wm. Gunston, the town of Taunton, Richard Walcott, Arthur Ruddle assignee of Anthony Dowse, Benjamin Whitcomb & Co, Francis Astrey, Anthony Morgan, Joseph Browne, Bulstrode Whittlock.

North-West Quarter :—(1) N.E., John Gunning ; (2) S.E., John Gunning, Willm. Hill and John Sweeting and those who have assigned to him ; (3) S.W., Sergeant John Maynard and John Henley, Giles Sumpter and Edward Oland ; (4) N.W., Samuel Eames, for Bernard Trimlet and Mary Melhuish, Francis Hill and Laurence Sanders, Godfrey and John Hall, Wm. Goodwin, Samuel Stone, Sir Henry Tichborne and the Mayor, &c., of Dartmouth.

West Quarter [?] :—Thomas Abdy, Robert Hamon, Sir Wm. Brereton ; (2) Gilbert Lambell, Lady Ingram, Humphrey Towne, John Seed, Francis Bigg and Wm. Tibb.

In all pp. 1¼, *the last quarter in separate sheet and without number of the name of the barony. Ibid.* 176 *and* 177.

Receipts by George Almery, treasurer for certain sums paid to him by different persons after the rate of a halfpenny in the £1 for rebels' lands in Ireland towards defraying the public charge of the adventurers according to an order and agreement in that behalf made by the body of the said adventurers on Aug. 9, 1654.[1]

		£	s.	d.
165⅘, 21 Feb.	Richard Shuttleworth	1	5	0
1654, 13 Oct.	Samson Sheafe - -	0	4	2
165⅘, 11 Jan.	Joshua Sturmey - - -	0	1	8
,, 29 Jan.	Wm. Shippey for his proper adventure and several assignments -	2	12	1
,, 3 Feb.	Hierom Sankey as assignee of John Hutt	1	5	0
1654, 25 Nov.	Fosbrook Stretton -	0	1	8
1655, 10 Aug.	Edward Smith	1	8	9
,, 11 July.	Edward Story -	0	4	2
1654, 28 Nov.	George Spilman - -	0	9	7
1655, 30 April.	Susan Shirley, of Westminster, spinster, assignee of John Marks	0	1	0½
165⅘, 28 Mar.	Thomas Smith, John Yates, William Low, Ithiel Smart and Edward Pynner -	1	0	10
,, 11 Mar.	Jane Sheffield - -	3	12	11
,, 14 Mar.	Thomas, assignee of Robert Scott	0	1	0½
,, 24 Mar.	John Searle, by the hands of Wm. Seale -	0	0	1
,, 14 Mar.	Edward Scot, *jun.* - -	0	5	2½
1654, 1 Dec.	John Sweeting, as assignee of Hogan Howell, Ph. Starkey, Thomas and Edward Harris -	1	7	6
165⅘, 14 Mar.	Edward Scot - -	0	8	4
,, ,,	Robert Scot	0	1	0½
1654, 26 Oct.	Thos. Stock -	1	5	0
,, 5 Dec.	John Sadler	0	4	2
,, 11 Nov.	Erasmus Smith	3	4	5
,, 23 Oct.	Wm. Seale	0	1	0½
,, 2 Oct.	George South - - -	0	2	0
,, 16 Sep.	Edward Smith - - - -	1	5	0
165⅘[?], 3 Mar.	Thomas Stubbing - -	1	0	10
,, 9 Mar.	Wm. Searle - - - -	0	0	10
,, 27 Oct.	Richard Sherbrooke - - -	0	12	0
,, 24 Oct.	Richard Simonds - - -	0	4	2
,, 9 Mar.	John Shewell - - - -	0	0	5
1654, 29 Sep.	Erasmus Smith - - -	2	8	0
,, 26 Oct.	Joseph Smith - - -	0	4	2
165⅘[?] 9 Feb.	Wm. Sledd - -	0	2	1
,, 12 Mar.	Henry Standish - -	0	2	1
,, ,,	John Sandon - - -	0	2	1

[1] There are thirty-seven receipts on different sheets, but are calendared together for brevity, the form of all being identical. Each of the receipts is signed by George Almery, Treasurer.

			£	s.	d.
1654[?], 14 Sep.	Edward Smith -	- -	1	5	0
,, 20 Oct.	,, -	- -	2	10	0
,, 7 —.	Wm. Sherlock -	- -	0	4	2
165⅘, 9 Mar.	Christopher Searle	-	0	19	7

In all pp. 37. *Each about p.* ¾ *or* ⅘, *the last imperfect.* *S.P. Ireland* 300, 178–215.

Propositions containing the sum and substance of all debates agitated both by the Committee and body of Adventurers for lands in Ireland, with reference to the way of their settlement, since June 10, 1658.

It is to the public and private interest of the Lord Deputy and Council to settle the adventurers.

This should not be done by any unnecessary removals.

They should rather connive at small matters than give way thereunto.

Their lordships have clear power by the Act of Parliament, not only to decide any great controversy that is now among the adventurers, but also an original authority to assign to each adventurer what lands by name shall be applied to his particular satisfaction.

The army having received but 12*s.* 3*d.* per £1, and the deficient adventurers nothing at all, their lordships will be earnestly called upon to exercise their above-named powers suddenly. If the adventurers will not tender advice as to how their lordships should proceed, they will be constrained to proceed without it.

The Deputy and Council have no interest in imposing upon the adventurers unprofitable or entangled lands; nor will they do anything against the Acts and Ordinances of Parliament, even if asked to do so for the State's advantage.

Even the army of Ireland have not put any hardship on the adventurers, nor have they power or intent to do so, though what is saved as surplussage out of the adventurers goes to them.

Dr. Wm. Petty has no interest of his own in accelerating or retarding the settlement of the adventurers or in settling them by many or by few removals, nor in the size of the surplussage, nor in any illegal treatment of the adventurers. He is not guilty of one wrong formerly done unto any individual person of the army in Ireland in reference to his satisfaction, nor unto the adventurers now.

The petition and declaration drawn up by the Committee is the only answer that ever has been given to the two letters from the Lord Deputy and Council in Ireland concerning the adventurers' satisfaction. It is the first complete set of rules for the adventurers' settlement, and contains nothing impertinent and little not absolutely necessary.

The petition and declaration "was" made by a sufficiently authorised committee. It was made after fair discussion, which allowed of any proposals or objections being made to it which seemed desirable. It was voted [*i.e.* approved] oftener than was

needed in whole and in parts: was read to dissatisfied persons and justified to them. Neither since July 16, when it was first drawn, since Aug. 4, when copies of it were first published, nor since 21 Aug., when it came out in print, has any other system or body of rules appeared in competition with it.

The survey whereunto this petition submits is as sufficient as possible. It has been made with all the precautions taken on other occasions, and, by all experiments that have been made upon it, it is more favourable to the adventurers than their own. It extends more favour to them even in the matter of unprofitable land than can be made out as due to them by the Act of Parliament of 1642, and much more than was allowed in the Act of 1653. The survey may be faulty, yet since it is authentic, universal and uniform, is the best the adventurers can go by.

If there be errors to the prejudice of the adventurers in the survey, it may be supposed that there are as many to their advantage. These errors of both sorts being dispensed by lot, there can be no prejudice to the general body; but rather an advantage.

Ample provision was made for reparation to those who suffered in their lands either as to quality or quantity.

As the Lord Deputy and Council also have power to make a distribution, no distribution made by any other authority is a legal foundation for the adventurers.

The survey made by the adventurers is not universal or even uniform, and is not even probably true. It has been discused and exposed to much corruption since it was made. Little proof can be made that what is produced as the adventurers' survey is really such, much less that it is true. It wants so many of the essential features of an authentic survey that it is not one either in law or equity, either in matter or form.

The distributions made by the adventurers are all "taxable of the same imperfections" and consequently it is dangerous for the adventurers to rely on them.

Although the distribution formerly made by the adventurers by their own imperfect survey is not to be endured, it is not the intention of the Deputy and Council, nor the intent of the declaration and petition, to alter it where it is not manifestly unjust.

The supposed perfect rule mentioned in the petition is not made as adjudged upon any past distribution, nor as a punishment even to offenders, but only as a remedy to such as are wronged. It may possibly be no use at all. Moreover, it may give those who have done wrong a better satisfaction in way of right than what they now hold in way of injury.

It is to the interest not only of deficient adventurers and of those who have only taken their dues, but also of such as have been irregular, to join in this declaration and petition, inasmuch as there will always be a means and power to correct them, and the longer their "injuries" remain undetected the heavier will their punishment be in the end. They are not eligible for the terms of gentle punishment and reparation which are held forth to them by the Act.

Dr. Wm. Petty hath communicated the condition and forwardness of affairs in Ireland in order to the adventurers' settlement as much or more than the Council's letter sent to the Committee infers. He has communicated the surveys themselves, not only in so far as was necessary with reference to any point in debate at the Committee concerning the whole business, but also in so far as the Committee thought fit. Such communications as were insisted upon by some members of the Committee were impracticable and would have been very dangerous to the whole affair and concernment of the adventurers, and only of advantage to some particular craftsmasters.

It is more than probable that those who have been all along averse to the above-mentioned declaration have forwarded their own design without respect to the common good of the adventurers. *Two copies. Pp.* 4 *and pp.* 3½. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 216 *and* 219. [*See History of the Down Survey, ed. Larcom, Irish Arch. Soc., p.* 232, *&c.*]

The several Steps of Proceedings from the present state of the Adventurers unto the perfect settlement of them.

Special maps to be prepared and the subductions from the accompt of claims and compositions to be so made that the "neat" [net] column may contain neither more nor less than what is due to the adventurers.

The baronies to be divided into plots and quarters as the petition and declaration directs.

To "string" the denominations in each of the quarters successively and to determine the bearing of the divisional line whereby every divided parcel is to be cut.

To cast lots in what order each province, county and barony shall succeed each other in order to repair deficient and redundant baronies.

By references to the "string and the book of debts" according to the parallelism between them, to set out lands for the satisfaction of each debt contained in the book of allotments; to seal up the distribution so made and declare the time [at which it shall take effect].

To receive all private surveys from the adventurers within two months, with the account from each of what he has assumed, and his desire to continue in the same. After receiving the desires, to appoint a certain time when those who have expressed them can be heard to justify them and answer any charge of irregularity. After this hearing has taken place to declare what lands are to be assigned to each lot and to have the quantity of each of them attested by the Surveyor-General. To get the confirmation of the Lord Deputy and Council to these allotments, with an order to the sheriffs to execute them by putting the adventurers in possession. *Other details. Two copies, each pp.* 1½. *Endd. Ibid.* 217 *and* 218.

Dr. Petty's suggestions to the Committee of Adventurers.

The Credit.

Let the number of Irish acres due to each particular adventurer drawn upon each barony be ascertained.—*Agreed.*

Let an account be given of the barony in which each debt ought to be satisfied, and not only in that quarter, but also in what order within each quarter.—*Agreed.*

Where lots have not yet been drawn, and where persons concerned cannot be present to oversee the drawing of their lots, that some other public honourable course be thought of for doing thereof.

An estimate to be made of all debts not yet stated.

The Credit.

The names of all townlands or parts of townlands which are fit to be accepted by the adventurers in satisfaction of their several debt should be ascertained by deducting from the total of the lands which came under the State's cognizance those which have been compounded for, allowed to loyal persons, encumbered for more than they are worth or given away by private Acts of Parliament, articles of war, or ordinances of his Highness and Council while the legislative power was in them.

An account to be taken of all such lands as have been returned forfeited only upon the information of the country and other imperfect discoveries, and of all such as are encumbered for less than they are worth and consequently are to be made up by way of reprisal out of the co. Kildare.

A distinct column should be made up of all the neat lands, as aforesaid, applicable and accepted by the adventurers.

By the State's admeasurement let the content of all such townlands, profitable and unprofitable acres, be affixed to each respective parcel, and the total of such lands contained in each barony summed up respectively.

A comparison of the debt and credit when they have been thus ascertained will show how many baronies are defective or redundant.

In order to balance the defective with the redundant baronies and to repair the one with the other:—

Let it be determined by lot which of the three provinces shall be deemed first, second or third; and which county in each province shall precede. Thereupon let there be a list of priority drawn out both of the defective and redundant baronies distinctly. Let the deficient baronies be repaired with the redundant in order of the lists.

If upon the whole a redundancy appear, the overplus to be struck off in the last redundant barony, as they were settled by lot.

In case of a deficiency in the ten counties let the baronies of Louth, being first strung, be settled as to their priority and the deficiencies of the whole made up out of the latter or former by lot according to the string of denominations.

In case there be [enough] of lands esteemed absolutely neat in the sense above found in the ten half counties to satisfy the debt

of the adventurers, let the encumbered reprizable lands be excluded, otherwise let them be taken into the credit and reparation sought in Kildare.

Having thus balanced the baronies and cut off the grand surplussage—if any be—and repaired the general deficit—if any be—out of Louth, we next come to the distribution of every barony to each allottee concerned therein.

Let the Committee of the adventurers declare whether they intend that all the lands, both forfeited and unforfeited, profitable and unprofitable, comprehended within the whole line of each barony shall be divided into quarters, or whether they intend that only the accepted lands shall be divided. Let them further decide whether, if the baronies be divided by straight lines, a lot shall be reckoned to be on that side of the dividing line on which the greater part of it lies.

The baronies being divided according to particular agreements appertaining to each of them respectively, let each quarter or lower sub-division be strung, that is to say, reduced into a file of continued contiguity by three persons qualified for that purpose, who are to act under the oversight of such as the adventurers shall appoint, and [these] to be strictly kept from all knowledge of the succession of lots. When they have done, let one of their strings be chosen by lot, as aforesaid, observing all such rules as have been already authentically made upon that barony.

So, having a complete and universal list throughout of the succession of every adventurer and likewise a parallel list or string of all lands accepted for their satisfaction, there remains nothing but according to the parallelism to adjust the number of acres which will answer each particular debt respectively.

Where there shall be occasion to cut any townland into two or more parts for the exact adjusting of the above-mentioned satisfaction, there should be a line or rule agreed upon whereby the said townland shall be so divided that the propriety of housing and other improvements may be thereby without any dispute ascertained.

Let it be propounded that where any material error can be charged upon the survey made by the State and now accepted for the rule and standard of this distribution, either as to quality or measure—that a portion of land be set apart for a certain time to make good injuries caused by these errors. *Pp.* 4. *Endd.*: "Dr. Petty's propositions to the Committee of Adventurers." *S.P. Ireland* 300, 221.

1658. 24 Nov. Answer by Dr. Wm. Petty to the Committee of Adventurers sitting at Grocers' Hall.

Gentlemen,—

Your order of 17 Nov., 1658, I received on the 19th of the same. It desired that, in pursuance of the Lord Deputy and Council's letter, Dr. Petty should be desired to show this Committee such surveys as he hath in Town concerning the adventurers' lands, and

that a copy of the said petition be delivered to the said doctor, and that he be required to assist the said Committee in comparing the same with surveys taken by the adventurers. I shall answer this order with much cheerfulness, "for whereas by forty several meetings of this Committee and four meetings of the body of adventurers the way of your satisfactions and settlement has been composed into a petition and declaration to the authority of Ireland, and not only the manner of executing the same hath been appointed by the said body of adventurers, but also, the adverse opinion of some lawyers considered, all the said several proceedings having been owned not only by the distressed part, but also by that more fair-dealing and ingenious part of the adventurers, who, although they with others scrambled for satisfaction, are yet contented, if need be, to surrender what they have so snatched up, to the better regulation of law and authority." And whereas some have on the other side traduced the said settlement chiefly upon this very pretence that they have not been acquainted with the State's survey, although until now never lawfully demanded, I esteem it a favour of providence to have this occasion offered me for my defence and for giving an account of my carriage in that point of not divulging the surveys.

They are as follows :—

I must mind you in the first place that the chief end of my going to Ireland was to make way for distinguishing the soldiers' from the adventurers' interest in the eleven counties. In which respect, although it would be fair enough that a survey taken by the adventurers might be brought to confront another survey (if any such were taken) of the same thing by the soldiers, yet certainly it ought not to be brought to control the State's; as the State is umpire to both, and should not be debased to a competition with either. Neither should either demand to be considered without the other as its proper counterpoise.

Being appointed one of the Directors of the State's survey, I took a copy thereof, in order to be able to answer any questions which might arise in time to come. I brought this copy with me, partly because I thought it not fit to be entrusted to any hand and not in my own custody, and partly because I thought it might probably be useful to the settlement of the adventurers one time or another, but chiefly that I might positively satisfy the adventurers that a survey was finished. I brought this copy over as a matter of private judgment, and therefore when the Lord Deputy and Council directed me to acquaint the adventurers with the present state of affairs in Ireland, I cannot think that such a direction implies a command to divulge papers which they did not know that I had. The adventurers could no more ask me to show them the survey of every particular townland than they could ask me to bring over and show them the States' original, the Civil Survey, and the Council books, and to acquaint them with every order and the grounds of every order in each of the several courts.

Nevertheless, knowing how tender the Lord Deputy and Council were of the adventurers, and how willing to please them, I ventured :—

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To assure the adventurers that, by all rational conjecture, the survey made by the State was in all respects as favourable to them as their own.

I gave them the content of nine baronies such as themselves named, being such as themselves had also the contents of according to their own admeasurement, that thereby they might compare the two surveys.

Although I believed (and they admitted) that this text would be satisfactory, yet I further allowed one barony (the greatest, Iffa and Offa) to be compared to the lowest particulars.

I offered that one other, or some few others, such as the Committee should agree to demand, might be compared in like manner, but then [this] the Committee by vote denied, as being to no good purpose.

I presented an abstract of the contents in profitable encumbered and neat lands, which, with the Committee's own book of debts and lots, would show the surplussage and defect of each barony. This abstract is an answer to the petition now given me to consider.

Although the Committee concluded by several votes that the State's survey should be the rule, yet I consented that satisfaction should be given to those who could prove by the information of their own surveys that wrong had been done them, as appears by the petition and declaration.[1] I shewed so clearly my willingness that the adventurers' survey should be respected that I allowed unto both a place and column in the neat book described in par. 4 of the said petition and declaration.

I offered to prove to the adventurers that I had let them have much more information than I was directed to give them, but while there was time, before 17 Sep. [1658], before all was finished, none offered to test this proof.

Having gone thus far I desire, before proceeding further, satisfaction by writing to the following particulars.

The surveys are things of great charge, the shewing of them is important, and I do not think I am sufficiently empowered to do it.

In case the Lord Deputy and Council do not like the surveys to be shewn, who will protect me? Why was not the request for shewing them preferred in Dublin, whence an answer might have been obtained in three weeks? The request has now been preferred for five months.

Is it equal that the adventurers should demand a sight of the State's survey before they have presented their own, or before they have given any proof that they have or can produce such a survey? Is it fair that they should ask for a settlement of their possessions before they inform the State what lands they would be settled in? This has often been deemed as the first step towards such a settlement.

Should any part of the adventurers see the surveys without the consent of the whole.

(1) *See History of the Donn. Survey, ed. Larcom* (*Irish Arch. Soc.*), *p.* 236, *&c.*

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As four or five Committees have voted against the surveys, how shall I value the order of the Committee of 17 Nov., which may be reversed at once?

How can I be sure that the surveys will not be defaced, lost or embezzled? How long will they be kept? If I am commanded from hence whilst they are being inspected, how can I recover them?

The adventurers' surveys should be brought in and sealed up before the State's is seen, that it may not be altered when the State's has been seen. If these alterations were allowed. three acres per cent. might be gained from the State, whether there be cause or not; since there is an inclination [on the part of the State] to allow of differences between the surveys up to three per cent.

The adventurers should first declare whether their surveys be of gross estimate or the exact admeasurements (no other kind of survey being taken notice of by the law) and that their survey, whichever it be, has all the necessary sanctions to it. If it is a gross estimate it is folly to compare it with the net admeasurement. If the exact admeasurement the adventurers by law ought not to keep it or use it without licence. I should see such licence.

How can those who see these surveys say, in the event of differences, which is right? If there is a general provision to indemnify those who shall, according to their own survey, after the settlement shall have been made, be losers, is not that a sufficient protection?

If the Committee approve the survey when they see it, will this approval bind the whole adventurers? May they not repudiate it?

As the comparing of surveys is a necessary part of the setting out and distributing lands which some say is the function of the Lord Deputy and Council and some of the Committee at Grocers' Hall, is it not better to obtain the consent of both pretenders *pendente lite*, or, *dirempta lite*, to ask it of them who are declared to have that power?

"If I have no command to show these surveys, if the Committee have no power to demand them, if what one man allows another may protest against, if one Committee[-man] may propound one thing and another the contrary, if shewing the surveys to the adventurers be more than others who had an equal right did ever demand, if the adventurers have not their own pretended surveys ready, if the nature and authority of their surveys are yet unknown and obscure, if there be no way and means to detect errors, if the adventurers refuse to give an account of their distributions, why should I expose my own copy to the danger of being defaced, lost, violated or transcribed to the injury of the State, the Surveyor-General and myself? Why should the adventurers be tempted to vitiate their own surveys for the lucre of three per cent.? Why should they also be tempted to approve the State survey, not because more just and regular, but because more favourable to the approver, and consequently raise the greatest confusion upon the most needless and unjust grounds. At least, why should all the

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dangers be incurred by me whenas there is yet no colour of reason shown me to excuse my breach of trust in this matter?"

I must wait for an answer to these questions before shewing the surveys. As for the petition, the above-mentioned abstract of the content of each barony in neat and profitable forfeited and unencumbered land is a complete answer to it.

Lastly, I would remind you that the Petition and Declaration in its particulars and even in its phrases was voted upon *pro* and *contra* by those who now affirm it to be root and branch illegal and destructive; whereas if it had been such they ought not at all to have meddled with it. No part of it is illegal or unreasonable, yet no other system has yet been propounded.

The survey of the adventurers must stand or fall independently of the Petition and Declaration. The Petition and Declaration, however, show the only legal way of settling the adventurers, though a less troublesome way of settling them on the places where they now are might be devised. *Pp.* 5. *Signed by* Wm. Petty. *Also another copy. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 300, 222, *ad fin.*

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Documents relating to the Adventurers for Land in Ireland and to other matters.

1642. 9 Nov. Certificate by Lord Inchiquin to the High Court of Parliament.

He has been constrained for the relief of the King's army in Munster to "take up and from" the hands of Philip Gillett, of Youghal, clothier, cloth for the use of the officers of the army, at several rates—amounting in full to £52 11*s.* 0*d.* He prays that satisfaction may be given to Gillett therefor. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Lord Inchiquin. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 1.

10 Nov. Cork. Order by the same to Mr. Symons, Master of the *John of the Forest.*

Directing him to deliver to John Hodder, Esq., Commissary of the Victuals for the fixed magazine at Cork, or whom he shall approve, such quantities of dried fish as are now remaining aboard his ship. For this he shall receive "ticket" as he has formerly done. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 2.

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12 Dec. Barber Surgeons' Hall.

The Master and Wardens of the Barber Surgeons' Company to the Committee of Lords and Commons for raising moneys.

According to your lordships' order we have called a Court of Assistants at our hall, and have moved for the loan of £400 towards the relief of Ireland, which is in arrear. We certify that most of our Corporation are of small estates, and are now employed in the Navy and Armies of this Kingdom of England and Ireland, that our common seal is charged with £2,450 in debts, whereof £400 was lent on the faith of the divers honourable lords in Oct., 1640, and [we] still pay interest for the same. Also our Corporation has already underwrit for £200 for relief of Ireland, whereof £50 only is paid, and the rest is not yet paid, neither can we as yet obtain monies to pay it. Our Company paid £20 towards the relief of Londonderry, and the Corporation revenue will not be able to defray interest monies. All this we certified to the Lord Mayor the 20th of Sep. last, and that we could not then borrow so much money as to pay £400 parcel of the £800 allotted on our company. Since then we gained credit for £400 at interest and paid it into the Chamber of London on the 28th of Nov. last. Having all these debts we pray for your lordship's compassion on us, and leave the matter to your further consideration. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Wm. Burgine, George Dunn, Edward Arris and Geo. Lufkins. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 3.

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1643. 6 April.

Order by the Lords and Commons.

For £150 to Nicholas Loftus, Deputy Treasurer at Wars for Ireland, to be paid to Leonard Towers, "now dwelling near Allgate, London," for 400 yards of cloth for clothing the soldiers in Ireland, to be sent to Carrickfergus. *See Lords' Journals V.*, 695. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 3*a*.

Last date 24 July.

The Petition of the Officers and Artificers of the Train of Artillery in Ireland.

Setting forth their miserable condition, and that they have had to sell their apparel and instruments to subsist upon, was presented to the House of Commons. They had petitioned the General of the Ordnance for a licence to come into England.

The petition was referred to the Committee of Irish Affairs of whom Mr. Goodwyn is Chairman.

On 24 July, 1643, the Committee ordered :—

That Mr. Collins, auditor for the army in Ireland, in consequence of this petition and of that of "the gunner's wife who [died?] at Londonderry," set down what is due to those of the train in Ireland after deducting what has been paid to themselves and to their wives here. *P.* ¾. *Signed by* Goodwyn. *Followed by*—

Report, showing that £16 10*s.* has been received by three of their wives here, and that £1,031 11*s.* 9*d.* is still due to them. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 4.

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General date 13 Jan.

DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF MR. BOX AND MR. TITHER.

Certificate by Henry Aldrich.

Nicholas Loftus, Esq., Deputy Treasurer at Wars for Ireland, got no money from the Adventurers' Treasury or from elsewhere on the order for £505 7*s.* 6*d.* mentioned in the order of the Committee of both houses for Irish affairs of 28 April, 1643, to be paid to Mr. Box and Mr. Tither for drugs. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. Dated 13 Jan. 164$\frac{5}{6}$, *Signed by* Aldrich *for* Loftus. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 5.

Copy of a Resolution of the Committee [of both Houses] for Irish Affairs.

In August last the Lords Justices and Council asked for drugs and medicaments for the army in Leinster and the Committee gave orders for putting them up. These being bespoken by Mr. Fitzgerald, agent for the Lord Justices and Council, of Mr. Henry Box and Mr. Anthony Tither, of London, according to a bill of the particulars sent from Dublin by the physician, apothecary, and surgeon for the army, have been passed by the Master and Wardens of the Apothecaries' Company in London. Tho Committee direct that order be drawn to pass the Houses of Parliament sanctioning payment of £255 16*s.* and £249 11*s.* to Nicholas Loftus, Deputy Treasurer at Wars for that kingdom—who is to pay these sums respectively to Box and Tither. The drugs to be sent away to Ireland at once. *Pp.* 1$\frac{1}{2}$. Dated 28 April, 1643. *Endd. Ibid.* 6.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

General date 19 Jan.

DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE PAYMENT FOR DRUGS SENT TO IRELAND.

Certificate by Henry Aldrich.

Nicholas Loftus has received no money out of the contribution office or from elsewhere towards payment of an order of the Lords and Commons, dated 14 Jan., 164$\frac{2}{3}$, for £130 for drugs sent into Ireland. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. Dated 1646, 19 Jan. *Signed by* Aldrich *on behalf of* Nicholas Loftus, Deputy Treasurer at Wars for Ireland. *Ibid.* 7.

Order by the Lords and Commons [Eng.].

For £130 to Mr. Loftus for drugs. Dated 14 Jan. 1643. *See H.L. Journals, Vol. V., p.* 553. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Ibid.* 8.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

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Latest and general date 1648.

DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF ROGER D'RAYTON, OF LONDON, MERCHANT, AND OF KATHRINE, HIS WIFE, LATE WIFE AND EXECUTRIX OF CAPT. THOS. BEALE, DECEASED, as follow:—

15 June. Order by Lord Inchiquin.

I have been constrained to press Capt. Beale, commanding the ship *Lewes* [?] to furnish me in our extreme necessity with a certain quantity of arms and ammunition which I have desired him to deliver to Captain Henry Whetcroft to be delivered to me. I now pray and desire Capt. Richard Swanley, Admiral of the Irish Seas, to re-deliver and supply Capt. Beale, when it shall be necessary, such a number and proportion of arms and munition as shall be ———— to be received by Captain Whetcroft, as aforesaid. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$ (*imperfect*). *Signed.* Dated Cork, 31 Oct., 1644. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 9.

Captain Richard Swanley to Captain Beale, aboard the *Lewis.*

This day the *Jeremy* arrived from Duncannon from whom I hear what great want they are in of shipping. I desire you to go there if you can and if you find the *Mayflower* to "dispeed her" back for Cork. There she shall find provisions aboard Captain Robert Swanley in the *Lyon*, whom I am now despatching for that place. I shall desire you to keep a "fair correspondency" with the gentlemen of Duncannon, finding them (as I understand by Captain Bright they are) well affected to the Parliament. If they want powder, &c., and you spare them some, I shall see you satisfied. *P.* 1. *Signed.* Dated on board the *Leopard*, 23 Sep., 1644. *Add. Endd. Ibid.* 10.

Captain Henry Whetcroft to Captain Larkin, in Duncannon Fort.

Pray give to Capt. Beale seven barrels of powder and half a hundred of match which I have received of him here to supply our present occasions. They are ordered for the State's service by my Lord Insequeene [Inchiquin] whose warrant Capt. Beale will produce. *P.* 1. Dated 3 Nov., 1644, from "Hulboulinge" Fort. *Add. as above. Endd. Ibid.* 11.

Receipt by Lord Esmonde for 50 saker and minion shot and five barrels of powder, from Captain Beale of the ship *Lewis*, for use in the King's fleet. Prays that payment may be made to him for these. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. Dated Duncannon Fort, 27 Jan., 164$\frac{4}{5}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 12.

Same by [Captain] Laurence Larcan for two tons of coal, from Captain Thomas Beale. He prays the Admiral, Capt. Richard Swanley, to accept this on account and charge it upon the public faith. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. Dated Feb. 3, 164$\frac{4}{5}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 13.

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Petition to the Committee of the Admiralty and Cinque Ports, of Roger Drayton, of London, merchant, and Katherine his wife, late wife and executrix of Capt. Thos. Beale, deceased, showing that:—

Captain Beale, being employed with the ship called the *Great Lewis*, in the State's service, under the command of Captain Richard Swanley, in 1644, was ordered by Captain Swanley for the Irish coast and to deliver such part of the provisions of his ship as he could spare for the relief of Duncannon Fort and of the other garrisons in Munster.

He according sailed thither, and delivered there certain coal and ammunition to Captain Whitcroft, or Whetcroft, at Duncannon Fort and elsewhere. For these Captain Swanley promised him satisfaction.

[*A note here adds:*—Coal was then at £3 10*s.* a chaldron.]

Petitioners pray for a speedy satisfaction of the sums due to them, including portage, cartage, &c., according to the promise of Capt. Swanley. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. *Signed by the petitioners, and underwritten with*—

Order by the Committee of the Lords and Commons for the Admiralty and Cinque Ports. As these expenses were incurred for the service of the garrisons of Ireland, this Committee recommend the Committee of both Houses for Irish affairs to consider the case and take order for such relief as they think meet. *P.* $\frac{1}{4}$. *Signed* (*Hol.*) *by* Warwick, B. Denbigh, Denis Bond, John Trevor and Alex. Bence. Dated 30 Mar., 1648. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 14.

Copy of Capt. Richard Swanley to the Committee of the Admiralty and Cinque Ports. Certifies his having directed Capt. Beale of the *Great Lewis*, to supply certain munitions and provisions to Duncannon Fort. He remains unsatisfied for these. Swanley prays that he may be satisfied, lest others fear to supply places in that country (Ireland) when they are "in a straight." *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. Dated Limehouse, 26 Mar., 164$\frac{8}{9}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 15.

Certificate by Captain Richard Swanley to the Committee of the Admiralty and Cinque Ports. Similar in effect to foregoing. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. Dated as foregoing. *Endd. Ibid.* 16.

Order by the Committee of both Houses of Irish Affairs. On reading the petition of the Draytons (*as above, No.* 14, *details given*), it is ordered that Col. Moore report to the House of Commons the Committee's recommendation that order be given to satisfy the petitioner. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *torn from an entry book. Signed by* Hawkins, Secretary to the Committee. *Endd. Ibid.* 17.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

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1 June. DRAFT TITLE-PAGE of an ENTRY BOOK relating to the ADVENTURERS.

It is to be entitled :—

The book for entries of certificates appointed to be made by virtue of the Order of the Council of State, bearing date 1 June, 1653, which was confirmed by Act of Parliament, intituled "An Act for the speedy and effectual satisfaction of the adventurers for lands in Ireland and of the arrears due to the soldiers there and other public debts, and for the encouragement of Protestants to plant and inhabit free land." *P.* ⅓. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 301, 18.

7 June. FRAGMENT of an ORDER by the COMMITTEE of the COUNCIL of STATE for SATISFACTION of ADVENTURERS for LAND in IRELAND by lot.

There were present :—Cols. Fenton (20) and Gill, Dr. Hubbard, Messrs. Roberts, Blomer, Turner, Manton and Hamon. *P.* ½. *Ibid.* 19.

July. POWER by DANIEL WALDO.

To Edward Waldo to draw his lot or lots for him for Irish lands. *P.* ½. *Signed by* Daniel. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 20.

Latest date 8 Aug. Printed copy of the "Act for stating the accounts of such officers and soldiers as are or have been employed in the service of this Commonwealth in Ireland." Passed 15 Aug. and ordered to be printed 25 August, 1652. *Pp.* 17, *followed by*—

Print of the "Additional Act for stating the accounts of the officers and soldiers of the army in Ireland." Ordered to be printed 8 Aug., 1653. *Pp.* 2¾. *In all, pp.* 19¾. *Ibid.* 21.

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165¾. 17 Jan. CLAIM of PHILIP GILLET, of Chard Stoke [Chardstock], Dorset.

He claims as a debt owing and due from the Commonweath to him £52 0*s.* 11*d.*, besides interest, which said sum was lent by him upon the public faith, being for cloth delivered for the use of the officers of the army under the command of Lord Inchiquin in Munster. The cloth was received by Lord Inchiquin in Nov., 1643. *P.* ½, *followed by*—

COPY CERTIFICATE by LORD INCHIQUIN.

Dated 9 Nov., 1643 [error for 1642?], *for which see above, S.P. Ireland* 301, 1, *on p.* 305. *In all, p.* ⅔. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 22.

General date 165¾. 17 March.

DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF RICHARD LITTLER, OF LONDON, APOTHECARY, as follows:—

A catalogue of all the compositions and physical simples, with their quantities. List gives the lb. oz. of ten syrups and conserves, seven opiates, four purgatives, three cordial waters, sixteen ointments and oils and 12 simples, in Latin, with contractions. *Pp.* 2¼, *followed by*—

Order by the Lord Justices and Council of Ireland.

We require John Sterne, clerk, to deliver to Thomas Hopkis for the use of the garrisons at Drogheda and Dundalk, the several particulars within-mentioned, taking his hand for receipt hereof; and we recommend the Parliament of England to cause payment to be made there to Richard Lytler, apothecary of London, of the value of the said several particulars as they shall be appraised by indifferent men, to be appointed by the Parliament for that purpose. *P.* ¼. Dated 18 May, 1643. *Signed (Hol.) by* Sir John Borlase, Sir Henry Tichborne, the Earl of Ormonde, the Earl of Roscommon, Sir Edward Brabazon, Sir Charles Lambert, Sir Wm. Parsons, Sir Gerard Lowther, Sir John Temple, Sir Thomas Rotherham and Sir Robert Meredith, *followed by*—receipt by Hopkis for the drugs aforesaid. *P.* ¼. *Not signed. In all, pp.* 3¼. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 23.

List of drugs. As in foregoing, with prices thereof, which amount in all to £53 6*s.* 8*d.*, *followed by*—receipt by John Sterne, stating that he received these drugs of Richard Litler on the 16th of Feb., 164⅔. He promises to "improve the same for the best advantage" of Littler and to give a good account for them. *In all, pp.* 1¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 24.

Certificate by Thomas Smith, Master of the Apothecaries' Company, and Mathew Turner, apothecary.

They have compared the invoice of the apothecary's wares sent over to Ireland by Litler with the catalogue of physical simples annexed to the Order of the Council of Ireland of 18 May, 1643. The two are similar with small exceptions of the value of £1 2*s.* Considering the rates of carriage they think the sums asked for these (*see above, No.* 24) is reasonable. *P.* ½. *Signed.* Dated 17 Mar., 165¾. *Endd. Ibid.* 25.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

5 April. Grocers' Hall

ORDER of a COMMITTEE of ADVENTURERS for LANDS in IRELAND.

Every adventurerer for lands in Ireland shall pay for his certificate to Mr. Wm. Tibbs, clerk to the Committee for clearing the

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adventurers the following rates. Mr. Tibbs to expose the table publicly at his house and in Grocers' Hall :—

Fees.	£	s.	d.
All sums under £20 - -	0	2	6
,, over £20 and under £25 -	0	3	4
,, ,, £25 ,, £50 -	0	5	0
,, ,, £50 ,, £100 -	0	6	8
,, ,, £100 ,, £300 -	0	8	0
,, ,, £300 ,, £600 - -	0	10	0
,, ,, £600 ,, £1,000 - -	0	15	0
,, ,, £1,000 .	1	0	0

For those certificates which are doubled by assignments :—

All of their assignments besides the principal not exceeding £50	0	6	8
Same above £50 -	0	13	4
All of from 3–10 assignments (inclusive)	1	5	0
Above ten assignments	2	0	0

P. ¾. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 26.

General date 12 Aug.

Documents relating to the Case of Amy Taylor, Widow, as follows :—

Copy of bequest of Amye Taylor, widow.

Out of natural affection to her son Charles Nicholat, Nicholett or Nicholetts, she bequeaths to him all her goods and chattels movable and immovable. Covenant for title. *P.* ⅔. *Signed, &c., before* Thos. Edwards [scrivener], Nicholas Olmsted and Hannah and John Edwards, *with a note* that the witnesses live in Aldersgate Street, within a few doors of the *Half Moon* tavern. Dated 12 Feb., 164¾. *Ibid.* 27.

Acknowledgment by Lewis, Lord Viscount Kinalmeaky.

As governor of the town of Bandonbridge he acknowledges to have received of Amy Taylor, of Bandonbridge, widow, £17 11*s.* 9*d.* worth of iron and ironwork for its defence. He promised to pay these to her out of the first monies from England. *P.* ½. *Signed.* Dated 12 Feb., 164½, *followed by*—

Attestation by Duling Salmon, clerk.

Charles Nicholat has made oath that he has had no satisfaction whatever upon the above certificate. *P.* ½. *Signed.* Dated 8 Dec., 1653. *In all, p.* 1. *Ibid.* 28.

Similar certificate by Lord Kinalmeaky.

Promising Amye Taylor early payment for certain nails which she has supplied for the defence of Bandonbridge. *P.* ⅓. Dated 23 Feb., 164½. *Signed and followed by*—

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(*a*) Certificate that certain pitch, a lantern, and a grindstone were delivered, the grindstone to his Lordship's butler.

(*b*) Oath by Charles Nicholett or Nicholetts that none of the monies due on this certificate have been paid. *P.* ½. Dated 8 Dec., 1653. *In all, p.* ¾. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 29.

Note of the Iron, &c., which was taken up from Amye Taylor, widow, for making of the grates and other necessary things for the defence of Bandonbridge, between 30 Nov., 1641, and 28 March, 1642.

List follows of iron, Spanish iron, nails, locks, &c., made at Tallow, and taken by Sir Wm. Hull upon Lord Kinalmeaky's order or otherwise. The total value thereof is £50 0*s.* 6*d.* *P.* ½. *followed by*—

Certificate of the Provost and Free Burgesses of Bandonbridge.

The above particulars were taken up for the defence of the town. *P.* ⅛. *Signed by* John Woodroff, Provost, Irenomy Turnor, George Fenton, Anthony Shipward, James Ellwelle and Jeffrey Sale, *with note by* Salmon that Nicholett has made oath that satisfaction has been made for none of these things. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 30.

Further certificate by Lord Inchiquin.

He has taken up 4 tons of iron at £18 a ton, from Amy Taylor, of Bandonbridge, widow, for defence of the town, and prays that it may be made good to her. *P.* ½. *Signed.* Dated 3 Ap., 1643, *and followed by*—

Similar certificate by Salmon.

No satisfaction has been given for the above-named goods. *P.* ¼. Dated 8 Dec., 1653. *In all, P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 31.

Charles Nicholett to his "son cousin" Mathew Tacklen, *sen.*, at Distaff Lane in London.

"Son: Cousin,"

I am sorry you are ill, and hope that you may have strength in your old age. I have sent you my paper about my old business, and if you find any difficulty, make use of Mr. Mallings in my behalf. I shall not be ungrateful. If you have any obstruction let me hear what you do and let me have and approve the certificate.

"Your, while his own," Cha. Nicholett.

Remember me to my friend Mr. Mullyns [Mallings?], and tell him he has forgotten his journey to Bristol. *P.* 1. *Underwritten*: "This letter I received 12 Aug., 1654." *Endd. Ibid.* 32.

This concludes the documents relating to this case.

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12 Oct. COPY OF CERTIFICATE by METHUSALEH TURNER, ROBERT HAMON, HENRY BRANDRIFE, NATHANIEL MANTON, ELIAS ROBERTS, THOMAS HUBBERT, FRANCIS BLOMER, COL. GEORGE GILL and LIEUT.-COL. JOHN FENTON, or any five or more of them.

They are intrusted and authorised by an order of the Council of State dated 1 June, 1653, and confirmed by an Act of the late Parliament entitled "an Act for the speedy and effectual satisfaction of the adventurers for lands in Ireland and of the arrears due to the soldiers there and of other public debts and for the encouragement of Protestants to plant and inhabit Ireland" for several purposes mentioned in the Act. They have examined and allowed the claim of John Parker, of London, merchant, whose allotment has fallen in the barony of Slievemargie, Queen's Co., and certify that 400a. 3r. 11p. arable land and profitable pasture which is 247a. 1r. 30p. Irish, with all bogs, woods, &c., are due to him for £225 paid in. *P.* ½. *Certified by* Tibbs. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 33.

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DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF RICHARD LOCK, OF BRISTOL, MERCHANT, as follows:—

4 Nov. Order by Lord Inchiquin.

Directs Wm. Symons, master of the ship now riding at Passage, to appear before him to answer for neglect, contempt, and scorn of Lord Inchiquin's former directions. *P.* ½. Dated Cork, 12 Nov., 1642. *Signed* (*Hol.*). *Ibid.* 34.

Copy of Lord Inchiquin to ————.

He has caused to be received for the use of the King's army here 15,500 dry Newfoundland fish at the rate of £7 per 1,000, at the hands of Wm. Symons, master, and Thomas Moore, owner of the *John*, of Minsterworth, in the forest of Dean. These were the proper goods of Richard Lock of Bristol, merchant, and amounted in all to £548 10*s.*, of which sum he humbly desires that current payment may be made to Lock. *P.* ½. Dated Cork, 19 Nov., 1642, *and certified by* Col. John Gower *and by* George Hartwell, notary public; *followed by*—

Order of the Lords and Commons.

For the satisfaction of Lock, as above. Dated 19 Dec., 1642. *See Lords' Journals* [*Eng.*] *V.* 501. *P.* ¾. *Ibid.* 35.

Copy of similar letters by Lord Inchiquin to the Commissioners [Committee of both Houses] for Irish affairs.

(*a*) A letter similar to the last but one and with copy of the certificate of Col. Gower and George Hartwell, as above, *and with attestation of* Richard Aldworth Mayor, and Hugh Brown *and* Joseph Jackson sheriffs, of Bristol.

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(*b*) Copy of Lord Inchiquin to Wm. Symons, as above.

Ordering him to deliver to John Hodder by commissary of the army and of the victual for the first magazine at Cork, or whom he shall appoint, as much dry fish as remains aboard his ship. He shall receive a ticket for the same. *P.* $\frac{1}{8}$. Dated Cork, 10 Nov., 1642.

(*c*) Copy of order by same to same, the original of which is above, *No.* 34. *P.* $\frac{1}{12}$. Dated Cork, 12 Nov., 1642.

(*d*) Copy of the order of the Lords and Commons for £548 10*s.*, to be paid by the receivers of the adventurers' money to Deputy Treasurer Loftus for payment to Lock.

Similar to the order in *Lords' Journals, Eng. V.*, 501 (*q.v.*), except that in this copy the name of Edmond Clymer does not appear. *P.* $\frac{2}{3}$. Dated 19 Dec., 1642.

(*e*) Copy of Michael Hunt, of Bristol, to Richard Lock, of the same.

He has not yet got the money due from the Irish Committee, and has little hope of obtaining it. He will do his utmost to secure payment. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. Dated Bristol, 16 Jan., 164$\frac{2}{3}$. *S.P. Ireland* 301, —.

(*f*) Copy of same to same.

I will do what I can to help you, but the times are so miserable that I cannot do the City of Bristol the service I owe, which is my present employment. Your warrant for what is due to you is passed to be paid out of the subscription monies for land in Ireland and cannot be altered. The King has refused to sign the Bill for the collection of such monies, by which you may judge "what and when you may expect payment." What monies are collected for customs are by order of both Houses to be employed for the Navy. The monies raised by assessments in general are for the payment of the armies, so that I see no hope of doing you good at present. I shall do my best for you. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. Dated London, 23 May, 1642. *Ibid.* —.

(*g*) Copy of Richard Lock to Mr. Wheatley.

Your father is now dead. You will see from the copies which I send you how the affairs stand. Mr. Hunt is dead in London, and I commend the carriage of the business to you. I hope I may be accomodated in Lord Inchiquin's estate.

I pray you write often, and if you can find a good Flemish cheese or two that is excellent I pray you send them to me by my tenant John Flower, of Beadminster[Bedminster]. *Details. P.* $\frac{1}{2}$. Dated Bristol, 6 Nov., 1654. *In all, pp.* 3. *The whole set add. to* John Wheatley, haberdasher, at the Sign of the *Gun* in Ludgate Hill. *Ibid.* 36.

Copy of Richard Lock to John Wheatley.

"According to my best capacity as being most sensible of my own misery and condition deplorable amongst people not hardened with atheism, the rise or spring of all impiety," I have sent you an abstract of my damages. These may give the groundwork of a petition to the Lord Protector or any other in authority for relief

for me, "the managerie" and contrivement whereof should be confided to some man of dexterity: and also the obtaining of satisfaction out of Lord Inchiquin's estate in Ireland.

My money was due in 1642, before the Adventurers subscribed for rebel lands. You may also observe that in the printed Act there is a proviso that the right of election for provinces in the manner of allotment shall be preserved to such as have or shall claim the same upon the ordinances of 14 July, 1643, and 13 Nov., 1647, the said lands to be held on such terms as the adventurers hold theirs. You have with you Lord Inchiquin's letter, the order of Parliament for my payment and the Mayor of Bristol's certificate. The last was difficult to obtain. If it is not regarded as efficacious I can, on hearing so from you, have it renewed and amended. I have had to take out three orders from Parliament. One of these was burnt when my house was burnt at Bedminster. The other was in Mr. Hunt's hands, and since his death I know not where to look for it. The last I cannot get from one Pitts, to whom I gave money for taking it out.

P.S.—Your father is well, but James Cicill has forsaken this world for a better mansion. Present my respects to "her whom you most respect, and my kind salutes to my very good friends Major Yeamans and Mr. Balman now in London. *Pp.* 1¼. Dated 19 Aug., 1654. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 37.

A particular abstract of the sufferings of Richard Lock, of Bristol, merchant, since the commotions in England.

1. He was the greatest part owner of the ship *Reformation*, and in Feb., 164⅔, was commanded by Col. Fines [Fiennes], then governor of Bristol, to victual and man the said ship with all necessaries, and to put her forth into King Road, as well to guard the port as to obstruct the proceedings of Prince Rupert then expected to have attempted the city. The ship remained there in a posture of defence for a full month, by which Lock suffered damage to the extent of £100 at least, receiving no satisfaction for the service.

2. He sold to Lord Inchiquin, or his assignees, in Nov., 1642, £548 12*s*. worth of dry Newfoundland fish at £7 per thousand. He got Lord Inchiquin's receipt for this and thereafter an order by Parliament for payment of the sum (*above, No.* 35), but as the emergent and inevitable affairs of England were preferred to those of Ireland, he was never paid. In capital and interest he has lost £1,500 thereby.

3. In the year 1643 Sir John Pennington, Admiral of the late King's fleet, pressed the said ship called the *Reformation* for a voyage to be made to Liverpool to transport soldiers to Dublin, and forced Lock to set forth the said ship to sea on his own account. When Lock refused, Sir John had him arrested when very ill in bed, and "even ready to surrender his soul into his Redeemer's custody," and conveyed to Newgate in Bristol. His ship was compelled to serve for six months in that employment, and Lock

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could never obtain the £500 due therefor. When the service was complete and Lock asked for the freight which Sir John had contracted to pay under his hand and seal, Sir John drew his rapier upon Lock.

4. In 1644 Lock, by much intercession and favour, got his ship free of Sir John Pennington's very unprofitable employment, and let her out to freight for a voyage to the "Caribda" [Carribean?] Islands, and so back to Kinsale in Ireland. When the said ship came voluntarily into that port she was seized upon by Lord Inchiquin, and her cargo, to the value of £15,000, was converted to his use. "Such inhuman dealing and unjust proceedings I, being a merchant, did never receive, I praise God, among infidels in Argeire" [Algiers]. He saw the ship "raigning" in Bristol, but could not have the enjoyment of her, and lost thereby £1,000 at least.

5. In 1644 Lock was an adventurer in the *Marigould* of Bristol to Cadiz and back to Bristol. On her return she was seized in the Severn by some Parliament frigates, wherein he lost in Xerez sack of Spanish tobacco, the value of £200.

6. In 1644 Lock was also an adventurer in the *James*, of Encusen, in Holland, to Marseillia [Marseilles] and Thollon [Toulon], in Province [Provence], which vessel going down the Severn was seized by the Parliament ships. Lock lost in Newfoundland fish above £250.

Sir John Pennington took twelve pieces of ordnance from Lock's shipping for the fortification of Bristol, and no restitution was ever made to Lock therefor, or satisfaction, but was converted upon the taking of the city by the Parliament forces unto their own use, being worth at least £160.

Long before the siege of Bristol by the Parliament forces, Lock, not being able to live quietly in Bristol, removed with his family to Bedminster, in Somerset, and forsook his habitation. Thereupon, before the army had beleaguered the city, Col. Slingsby, one of the King's colonels, issued forth and burned Lock's dwelling-house, barn and corn. By this and by the soldiers' plunder of his house Lock lost at least £250.

The said Lock had about 30 loads of hay in a rick in a ground of his, wherein "the Club Army," then so called, was placed. The officers made use of it for their own accommodation and burnt it. The loss was £30.

Lock never bore arms against the Parliament, but assisted in the siege and was wounded, as will be witnessed by General Fairfax, Lieut.-General Cromwell, Col. Stroade, Mr. Ash of Freshford, and divers others with whom the said Lock had several times private conference touching the taking in of the City of Bristol.

During the seige of Bristol, when Lock was out of the city, "some of Prince Robert's gentlemen" forced into his house and broke open and carried away household stuff, plate and jewels. What they left was sequestered, Lock being then reputed to be a malignant and fugitive. The loss herein was little less than £300.

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Whilst Col. Nathaniel Fiennes was Governor of Bristol, until it was taken by the King, Lock served under Col. Charelton, deceased, as his Captain-lieutenant, faithfully. He asked for no pay for a service which could not be undergone without great expense. He had 200 men under his charge, who were twice every week on duty.

Lock had an opportunity to attach £3,000 of Spanish money belonging to Lord Inchiquin, which was in the custody of a friend of his. Knowing the necessities of Ireland at the time when Lord Inchiquin last left Bristol, he refrained from satisfying himself out of Lord Inchiquin's estate, though he had a fair opportunity to do so, fearing it might obstruct the Parliament's proceedings. He wishes now he had attached it, seeing he applied it to so indirect a purpose and turned apostate.

Lock was owner of the *Lily* of Bristol, of 80 tons, which, in the year 1643, was pressed and taken up by Sir John Pennington to transport horses and soldiers from Bristol to Cork and Kinsale for his Majesty's service. Lock had to "put the ship forth" at his own charges, and never received any satisfaction, but was damnified at least £200.

"The reasons and considerations before expressed, together with the great losses the said Lock hath of late years sustained by that unhappy monopoly of the Lord Goring's practices in the tobacco pre-emption, being denied to make sales of his tobacco he had then in his custody (amounting to a great value), but unto the said Lord Goring's officers, and by which he lost above £4,000 together with many other extraordinary casualties and loses; besides the most inhumane practices of a monster of nature, one Alderman Lock, the said Richard Lock's uncle, now living in Bristol, hath most injuriously detained the said Richard Lock in prison upon very great actions above these five years, he, the said Alderman Lock, having made choice of the men in the Courts of the City, and out of the Court to arbitrate the differences; yet so unstable the said Alderman is, and fearful of his business, that notwithstanding all persuasions and endeavours, he, the said Alderman, knowing his power in the city, no justice being able to command him, will not be drawn to any reason," but keeps Richard Lock in prison.

He prays for relief. *Pp.* 4. *Signed by* Lock. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 38.

Certificate by George Hellier, Mayor of Bristol, and — Aldworth [Town Clerk], of the same.

To-day, Richard Lock (as above), aged about 44, came before him in "the common place of audience called the Tolzy of Bristol" and deposed as follows:—

Deposition follows, stating the grievances of Lock, as above, regarding the supply of 75,500 dry Newfoundland fish to the Commissary of the Victuals at Cork (*see No.* 35, *p.* 374) and the fact that deponent had not been paid for same; also regarding Lock's faithful service of the Commonwealth "during these commotions,"

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his setting forth of shipping under Governor Fiennes, the pressing of the artillery on his ship, the *Reformation*, by Lord Inchiquin at Kinsale, and his loss thereby. The Mayor certifies that Lock was wounded while serving in the siege of Bristol in the Parliamentary interest, and has been "included" in Bristol prison for five years. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). Dated 19 Aug., 1654. *With seal of the office of mayoralty of Bristol and signed by* Hellier *and* Aldworth. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 39.

Richard Lock to Mr. Wheatley.

I sent you the papers in my case, and if I hear from you that anything is not in order, it shall be rectified. I drew the draft sealed by the Mayor [*see foregoing*] myself and Mr. Aldworth, the town clerk, would not alter one word. I sent you some from the notes on my case "over a cup of sack (the post going away at that instant)." I leave the matter in your discreet hands. Let me know that you have the certificate, addressing to Mr. Edward Leader, merchant, in Small Street, or other of your correspondents or dealers, who will convey your letters to me. Use your influence with those who are laying out the lands that I may get land in or out of Lord Inchiquin's estate, according to which you think the more advantageous. *P.* ¾. Dated Bristol, 21 Aug., 1654. *Add. as No.* 36. *Ibid.* 40.

Same to same.

Your father is very ill, and likely to be dead at this moment. You have all the necessary papers. Pray accelerate my business and take out any copies of letters which may be needful. I hear the division of lands in Ireland is proceeding apace. *P.* 1. Dated Bristol, 4 Nov., 1654. *Add. Ibid.* 41.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

6 Nov. ASSIGNMENT by ELIZABETH BALL, of London, widow.

Assigning to Robert Robins, of London, merchant, 222*a.* 0*r.* 34*p.*, with woods, &c., in the barony of Decies, in Waterford, which have fallen to her, in consideration of £E.25 paid her. Covenant for quiet enjoyment. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Ibid.* 42.

14 Dec. SAME by THOS. KING, citizen and carpenter.

Assigning to Hugh Latimer, of Tamworth, in Warwickshire, a share of £100 in the Irish adventure. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ⅔ (*large*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 43.

22 Dec. SAME by GEORGE SOWTH, citizen and merchant-tailor of London.

Assigning to Jerom Sankey, of Westminster, Esq., a share of £50 in the Irish adventure, which has been assigned to him and

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which has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. S.P. Ireland* 301, 44.

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18 Jan. SAME by SIR THOS. VYNER, Kt., Alderman of the City of London.

Assigning to Hierome [Jerome] Sankey, of Westminster, a lot of £200 for lands in Ireland, which has fallen in the barony of Iffa and Offa, co. Tipperary. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*large*), *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 45.

165⅘. 31 Jan. SAME by SIR JOHN GLANVILL, of Broad Hinton, in Wilts.

Assigning to John Dawson, of the Inner Temple, London a lot of £600, which has fallen by lot in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary. Covenant for further assurances. *Pp.* 3½, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 46.

1655. 6 Feb. SAME by the MASTERS and KEEPERS, or WARDENS, of the MYSTERY of WAXCHANDLERS in London.

They subscribed £64 1*s.* for land in Ireland under the Order of the Council of State of 1 June, 1653, confirmed by Act of Parliament, on account of which land has been allotted to them in the barony of Skreen, co. Meath, to the extent of Ir. 213a. 2r. of profitable land and pasture (equal to E. 345a. 3r. 13p.), with all woods, &c. In consideration of £90 paid them by John Terry, citizen and waxchandler of London, they assign this allotment to him. *P.* 1 (*parchment*), *with seal of the company. Endd. Ibid.* 47.

7 Feb. SAME by MOSES WALL, heretofore of [St.] [Margaret's, Fish St., London] and now of Caversham *alias* Causham, in Oxfordshire.

Assigning a lot of Ir. 333a. 1r. 13p. in the barony of Rathconrath, which has been certified as due to him by the Committee of Claims, to John Perryn, of St. Martin's in the Fields, Middlesex, yeoman. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 48.

8 Feb. SAME by THOMAS WALLIS, of Hadstock in Essex, clerk.

Assigning a lot of Ir. 111a. 0r. 17p. in the barony of Middlethird, co. Tipperary, which has been certified due to him by the Committee of Claims to Robert Allen, of West Wickham in Cambridgeshire. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 49.

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14 Feb. SAME by CHRISTOPHER GREY, or GRAY, of Houghton, in Devon.

Assigning a lot of Ir. 33a. 1r. 13p. of land in the barony of Stradbally, Queen's Co., which has been certified as due to him by the Committee of Claims, to Christopher Searle, of London, Esq. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 50.

Same. SAME by JOHN SCHUILL, dyer.

Assigning a lot of Ir. 16a. 2r. 26p. in the barony of Stradbally, which has been certified as due to him by the Committee of Claims, to Searle, as above. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 51.

Same. SAME by WM. SEARLE, of Honiton in Devon, son of Robert Searle.

Assigning a lot of Ir. 33a. 1r. 13p. in the barony of Stradbally, which has been certified as due to him by the Committee of Claims, to Christopher Searle, of London, Esq. Covenant as above. *P.* ¾, *&c., as above. Ibid.* 52.

3 March. INDENTURE of AGREEMENT between WM. MUNDAY, son and heir of Wm. Munday, deceased, and HENRY GODSDEN, of Dorking, in Surrey, mercer.

Munday assigns to Godsden a lot of Ir. 41a. 2r. 26p. in the barony of Portnehinch, Queen's Co., certified, &c., as foregoing, in return for £E.12 10*s.* paid him by Godsden. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Munday *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 53.

Same. SAME between JOHN ALDERTON, of Guildford, in Surrey, linen draper, and GODSDEN, or GOSDEN, as above.

Alderton assigns to Gosden a lot of Ir. 41a. 2r. 26p. in the barony of Portnehinch, certified, &c., as foregoing. Usual covenants. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., by* Alderton, *as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 54.

14 March. SAME between PHILIP CONSTANTINE, of London, gentleman, son and heir of Philip Constantine, of same, deceased, and JOHN PARKER, of London, merchant, on the one part, and JUDITH CONSTANTINE, of the Tower Liberty, near London, relict and administratrix of the goods, &c., of Philip Constantine, deceased, on the other.

Philip, party to this indenture, in consideration of a sum paid to him, and John Parker, in consideration of 12*d.* paid to him by Judith, assign to Judith Constantine a lot of E. 400a. 2r. 11p.

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of meadow, arable land and profitable pasture (or Ir. 247a. 1r. 30p.), with all woods, bogs, &c., which is Parker's allotment, and has fallen in the barony of Slewmergie [Slievemargy], in Queen's Co. This lot has been certified due to Parker by the Committee of Claims. Usual covenants. *Pp.* 4. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 55.

15 March. Copy of Indenture of further Agreement between the Same.

Parker and Constantine let to Judith Constantine all the land which they have or ought to have in the barony of Slievemargy, Queen's Co., amounting by estimation to Ir. 247a. 1r. 30p., and also all their adventure for the same quantity of lands in Ireland, in respect of £E.225 adventured by them in the Irish adventure, with all woods, bogs, &c., for one year from the day before foregoing—in return for a rent of one peppercorn, payable at the feast of the Annunciation of the Virgin Mary—to the end that the said Judith may be in quiet possession of the premises and may be able to take a grant and release by indenture to bear date the day after this lease and to be made between the parties hereto for giving the reversion of these premises to Judith. *Pp.* 3¾, *&c., as foregoing. Ibid.* 56.

16 March. Copy of Indenture of further Agreement between the Same.

In part performance of certain covenants in the agreement of 14 Mar. (*last but one*), and for a sum of money paid to Constantine, and for one shilling paid to Parker, by Judith, Constantine and Parker assign all the land which they have, or ought to have, in the barony of Slievemargy, being about Ir. 247a. 1r. 30p. and their share of £225 in the Irish adventure. Of these lands, &c., Judith is now in possession by virtue of a deed of bargain and sale, dated the day before these presents (*see foregoing*). This assignment is made by force and in virtue of the Statute for transferring uses into possession. Constantine and Parker release all reversions, &c., of these lands to Judith. Covenant against claims by heirs of the assignors. *Pp.* 4½, *&c., as foregoing. Endd. Ibid.* 57.

22 March. Copy of Award of certain Commissioners who are empowered to make Regulations in regard to allotments in different Baronies[1] in Ireland.

We, Sir Thomas Dacres, Sir John Clotworthy, Aldermen Thomas Andrewes, John Fowke and Samuel Avery, Thomas Ayres, John Blackwell, *sen.*, Wm. Webb, William Hawkins, Charles Lloyd, George Almery, Thos. Bernardiston, John Greensmith, Lawrence Blomefield, Thomas Brightwell, Deputy Hutchinson, Michael Herring, Alexander Jones, John Wood, Thos. Steane, Sir David

(1) Hereinafter called for brevity, the Committee of Adventurers.

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Watkins, Alexander Bence, Thos. Gower, Wm. Pennoyer, Henry Coleborne, Wm. Hiccocks, Thomas Vincent, Alderman Foote, James Russell, Alderman Waring, Maurice Thompson, Francis Ashe, John Mosyer, John Holland, Edmund Harrison and Ambrose Moore, or any eleven or more of us were empowered by an Order of the Protector made with the consent of his Council, dated 1 Aug., 1654, to settle a method for determining by lot how many and which of the adventurers' proportions falling in a barony wherein the escheated lands shall fall short of the allotments shall be continued and laid out in such a barony, or how many and which of the adventurers shall take his proportion there and how much elsewhere, &c.

We certify that, the barony of Slewmergie [Slievemargy] being equally and indifferently divided into four quarters, Judith Constantine, of the Tower Liberty, in or near the City of London, widow, and assignee of John Parker, and relict and administratrix of the goods, &c., of Philip Constantine, deceased, is, upon a lot drawn after our method, to have E. 400a. 3r. 11p. of meadowable arable land, &c., with the woods, &c., attaching, and the houses thereupon, in the South-East Quarter No. 2 of this barony. *Other details.*

In case of deficiency in this quarter Judith and the other adventurers are to be satisfied out of the next barony, and if the whole barony be insufficient, then out of other lands, according to the Acts, ordinances, &c., made or to be made in that behalf. *P.* ¾ (*parchment*), *with note* that the award was signed by eleven members of the above-named Committee. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 58.

29 March. ASSIGNMENT by THOS. SMITH, of Manchester, gentleman.

Assigning to Richard Venner, citizen and barber-surgeon of London, a lot of Ir. 41a. 2r. 26p., certified to be due to him by the Committee of Claims in the barony of Fartulla, co. Westmeath. Usual covenants. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 59.

25 April. Dublin. INSTRUCTIONS to SIR JOHN REYNOLDS, WM. ROW, and CAPT. KINGDON, to be communicated to the Committee of Claims.

The Committee at Grocers' Hall appointed for the sub-division of the adventurers' lands in Ireland give debentures for public faith bills and to charge the lands belonging to the Commonwealth in Ireland, as appears by a copy of these debentures and certificates hereunto annexed [*missing*] grounding the same on the order of the Council of State of 1 June, 1653, appointing them a Committee for the Claims of Adventurers. The Act of Parliament intituled "an Act for stating and determining the accounts of officers and soldiers who are or have been employed in the service of the Commonwealth in Ireland," directed that in the case of all officers and

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soldiers who had debentures for land in Ireland, the Commissioners named in that Act should exchange the same; and the Act for the satisfaction of the adventurers requires the arrears of the said adventurers to be stated by the Commissioners appointed in the aforementioned Act. It is therefore obvious that Parliament did not mean the Committee at Grocers' Hall to exchange debentures for England, or to state soldiers' accounts which, if allowed, would contract an unknown debt upon the Commonwealth:—

Firstly, there would be forged debentures or certificates.

Secondly, certificates might be—we hear are being—received as debentures which were made pursuant to an ordinance of 24 Dec., 1647. These were not to charge the Commonwealth (as by that ordinance may appear) until they were examined and allowed and debentures issued for them by the Committee of the Parliament for the army.

Thirdly, many officers had their accounts stated by the deputies [deputy lieutenants?] in the various counties and by the Committees of the militia where they served. These afterwards were disallowed of by the Committee of Parliament according to the tenor of the said ordinance.

You are therefore to speak with the aforesaid Committee at Grocers' Hall, and desire to be satisfied by them why they state accounts and give debentures. If you find that they act only on the Order of the Council of State which does not empower them thereto, you shall then move his Highness and the Council for a remedy in this case. It is proposed that, before such certificates be allowed, inspection be made into the proceedings of the Committee nominated by an Act of Parliament intituled an Act for accounts and clearing public debts, &c., to see if they proceeded thoroughly thereupon. If not it may be thought fit that order be taken that the force of the Act be prosecuted effectually. This will be a means of distinguishing between real debts and undue demands. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Thomas Herbert, Clerk of the Council. *Endd. as in title. S.P. Ireland* 301, 60.

1 May. Assignment by Elia Palmer, of London, Esq.

Assigning to Robert Seymour, citizen and draper of London, a lot of Ir. 333a. 1r. 13p. in the barony of Navan, co. Meath, which is certified due to John Hall, of Winston, in Suffolk, gent., who assigned them to Palmer. Usual covenants. *P.* ¾. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 61.

Same by John Hall, of Winston, as above.
Assigning to Palmer, as mentioned in foregoing. *P.* ¾, *&c., as foregoing.* Dated 9 April, 1665. *Ibid.* 62.

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15 June. SIR JOHN REYNOLDS, WM. ROWE, or ROW, and CAPT. KINGDON to the COMMITTEE for CLAIMS of ADVENTURERS at Grocers' Hall.

We send you a copy of our instructions from the Lord Deputy and Council of Ireland[1] and desire your consideration of and answer upon the same. *P.* ¼. *Signed by the above. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 63.

19 June. ASSIGNMENT by RICHARD DEACON, citizen and clothworker of London.

Assigning to Wm. Hawkins, of London, Esq., a portion of Ir. 228a. 3r. 13p. in the barony of Iveagh, which are certified as due to him by the Committee of Claims. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* ½. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 64.

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DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASES OF ROBERT PAUL, OWNER AND MASTER OF THE *Paul* OF LONDON.

26 July. Certificate by Col. and Sir Wm. Cole and Robert Barklay.

Robert Paul, as above, landed and discharged at Killybegs in Donegal all his corn and other goods, as the best place from which to transport them thence to Ballyshannon and Enniskillen. The goods had been laden in London by Robert Barklay, Dean of Clogher, and agent for the said Sir William Cole, Kt. and his regiment at Enniskillen, according to the bill of lading and charter party made between Paul and Barklay. "In testimony whereof we hereunder subscribing have attested three parts all of the tenor of these presents under our hands and seals, one part whereof being produced and allowed, the other to be void." *P.* ¾. Dated Fermanagh, 30 Sep., 1643, *and signed by* Sir Wm. Cole and Robert Barklay. *Ibid.* 65.

Copy of Order of the Lords and Commons for £200 to be paid to Paul. *See Lords' Journals* [*Eng.*] *V.*, 694–5. Dated 5 Ap., 1643. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 66.

Certificate by Martin Dawson, Registrar of the Commissary Court of London, commonly called "Paul's Chain" office.

Letters of administration were granted by Wm. Sammes, Doctor of Laws and surrogate of the Court, to Robert Bemister and Christina, his wife, a relative of Robert Paul, late of Stepney Parish, who died beyond seas, to administer Paul's goods, &c., for the use of his legitimate daughter, Mary, till she should come of age, saving certain other letters of administration given to Joanna Crosse, of the goods, &c., of the same deceased. *P.* ¾. *Certified by* Dawson, *as above.* Dated 1 June, 1644. *Latin. Ibid.* 67.

(1) *See* above at date 25 April, 1655.

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Assignment by Robert Bemister, of Marchwood, in the parish of Eling, Hants., yeoman, administrator, &c. (*see foregoing*).

Assigning to Robert Hooker, of Ratcliff, in Middlesex, ropemaker, the £200 due to him by the order of the Parliament of 5 Ap., 1643 (*see above, S.P. Ireland* 301, 65). *P.* 1. *Signed with* Bemister's *mark.* Dated 26 July, 1655. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 68.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

1 Nov. ASSIGNMENT by RICHARD DEACON, citizen and clothworker of London.

Assigning to Arthur Ruddle, of London, a lot of E. 41a. 2r. 26p. in the barony of Rathconrath, which is certified due to him as assignee of John Catlin, of Flamstead, Herts., yeoman, by the Committee of Claims. Usual covenants. *Pp.* 1½. *Signed by* Deacon. *Endd. Ibid.* 69.

10 Nov. SAME by JOHN TERRY, citizen and waxchandler of London.

Assigning to Clement Spelman, of the Inner Temple, London, a lot of E. 345a. 3r. 13p. certified due to the Master, &c., of the Mystery of Waxchandlers of London, and assigned by the said Master, &c., to Terry on 6 Feb., 1655. Covenant for further assurances. *P.* 1 (*parchment*). *Signed, &c., by* Terry *before witnesses. Endd. Ibid.* 70.

About 1655? CERTIFICATE by NICHOLAS DOMVILL, Registrar attending the Committee of the Accounts of the Commonwealth.

In pursuance of an Order of the Committee for Claims for lands in Ireland, dated 27 Feb., 165⅘, he certifies that the book of accounts made up by Mr. Auditor Collins, late auditor for the army in Ireland, and now remaining with the Committee for the Accounts of the Commonwealth at Duchy House, shows that the following officers and artificers of the train of artillery sent in to Ireland had their arrears for service in Ireland audited. Their accounts are entered in the book and are mentioned to be so taken and certified by force of an order of 24 July, 1643. The sums hereinafter stated are the true sums set out as still due to the several persons mentioned.

List follows shewing the sums due to:—

John Morgan, captain of the matrosses.
George White, lieutenant of the same.
Francis and Robert Wilson, conductors of the trenches.
Richard Merick, conductor of the ammunition.
Henry Bludder, wagon-master.
Robert Round and John Buffield, work baces.
David Williams, fire worker's assistant.
John Yorke, gentleman of the ordnance.

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Wm. Gilden, master gunner's mate.

Abell Swynnerton, Nathan Bennett, Hugh Jones, Nathaniel Sheffield, Wm. Spencer, Gilbert Alman, Edward Cockman and Clement King, gunners.

Thos. Taylor, master carpenter ; Richard Sherwyn, his mate.

Richard Combes, Samuel Westerby, Wm. Sweete, George Jones, George Tomlyn, Obedience Andrewes, and Wm. Poole.

Richard Kyppes, master-wheelwright.

Robert Finch and Thos. Francklyn, wheelwrights.

Thomas Wakrell.

Richard Wootton, ropemaker, and Thomas Gover, his servant.

John Cooke, harness-maker.

Wm. Shakesheafe.

John Hillyard, gunsmith.

John Swallow, farrier.

Alexander Griffin and Clement Baylie, coopers.

Thos. Smart, blacksmith.

Thos. Gust, armourer.

John Williams.

Thos. Hewes, gabion maker.

The whole sum due to the officers and artificers sent into Ireland, till the time they were discharged, is £1,031 11*s.* 9*d.*

Sums are also due to Robert Stivers and Thomas Ashman, gunners, to John Stilgo, master-gunner's mate, and John Tilden, gentleman, conductor of the ammunition. *P.* 1. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 71.

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About March. EXTRACT out of the REGISTRARY of the COURT for PROBATE of WILLS and granting ADMINISTRATIONS.

Judith Constantine, of Newington Butts in Surrey, deceased, by her last will, dated 30 Nov., 1655, and proved 1 Mar., 165$\frac{5}{6}$, bequeathed to her daughter-in-law Cicely Constantine all her right to lands allotted to her in respect of a sum of money advanced by her husband Philip, deceased.

The will was proved by the oath of John Swinburne and Samuel Brightwell, executors, who got administration. *P*, $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 72.

6 May. DEPOSITION by WM. CUFFE [?] of Minehead, in Somerset, aged about 43.

There is due to him £168 14*s.* 10*d.* for goods delivered by him for relief of the garrison of Youghal, in Ireland, as appears by the certificate in Lord Broghill's hand. He has received no part part thereof, but remains wholly unpaid. *P.* $\frac{1}{3}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 73.

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3 July. ASSIGNMENT by JOHN HIGGINES, of King's Norton, in Worcester.

Assigning to Thos. Field, citizen and grocer of London, a lot of E. 66a. 2r. 26p., which is certified due to him in the barony of Slane, co. Meath, by the Committee of Claims. Warranty against assignor and his heirs. *P.* 1. *Signed, &c., before witnesses. S.P. Ireland* 301, 74.

16 July. Whithall. MAJOR-GENERAL LAMBERT to the COMMITTEE of CLAIMS.

The bearer hereof, Captain Robert Sanders, purchased several debentures, which were allowed by you. Being unable to pay the charges for the same, he was "letted" of your certificate and is thereby likely to lose the benefit of them in Ireland, where they are to be applied in reference to land. I am informed you have granted certificates to others in like nature and desire that you will do this for him also. *P.* 1. *Add. Ibid.* 75.

23 July. CERTIFICATE by the COMMITTEE of ADVENTURERS, appointed by Order in Council of 1 Aug., 1654.

They have been empowered to report on cases where there is not in any barony enough escheated land to meet the claims upon such barony. They certify that in the barony of Clanwilliam, co. Tipperary, George Clarke, of London, merchant, is to have Ir.4,444a. 1r. 31p. of meadow, &c., with bogs, &c., in the N.-W. Quarter, No. 4, of this barony. If there be not sufficient land for him there he is to have the remainder according to acts and ordinances made in that respect. *Other details. P.* 1 (*large parchment*), *with seals of the Committee. Endd. Ibid.* 76.

General date 1656. 19 Sep. DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF MATTHEW REEVE, OR REEVES, as follows:—

Certificate by Thomas Rainsborough, Rainborrow, Raineborow, or Rainsburrow.

He has received of Captain Tomson £50, of Mathew [Reeve?] £60, of Richard Howten [?] £50. He binds himself to repay these in such commodities as they shall require. *P.* ⅓ (*torn*), *with note by* Richard Parr promising to pay this above bill in money or goods. *In all, P.* ½. Dated Bath, 28 Oct, 1642. *Endd. Ibid.* 77.

Bill by [Lord] A. Forbes.

At six days' sight pay this, my second Bill of Exchange, my first being not paid, to John Osborne or his assignee £44 for value received here. "Pray make good payment and place it to account." *P.* 1. Dated 24 Jan., 164⅔, aboard the *Good Hope*, Kinsale. *Add. to* Maurice Thompson or Capt. Th. Raineborow. *Ibid.* 78.

Same by same.

My second bill not being paid, pay £44 to John Osborne at six days' sight for value received here. *P.* 1. *Dated and add. as*

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foregoing and with note that this is part of the £130 borrowed by Captain Rainsburrow from Capt. Wm. Thompson, Howten and Rives [Reeves]. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 79.

Further bill by same.

At ten days' sight pay this second bill, my first being not paid, to Joseph Bayleden £41 sterling being for the like value received here of Mathew Reeve. *P.* 1. *Signed.* Dated aboard the *Good Hope*, 1 Feb., 164⅔. *Add. as the foregoing. Ibid.* 80.

Memorandum by Lord Forbes.

Gives details regarding the £130 borrowed by Rainsborough from Thompson, Howten and Rives [Reeves]. *P.* 1. *Signed.* Dated 6 Mar., 164⅔. *Ibid.* 81.

Order by Maurice Thompson, Gregory Clement, Richard Wining, Thos. Vincent, John Ballowe, and Willm. Thompson to John Wood.

Please pay Mathew Reeve, of the ship *Good Hope*, £41, which he furnished to Lord Forbes, and took his bill of execution upon this Committee. Pay this and it shall be allowed you on account. *P.* ½. Dated 28 July, 1643. *Signed, not add. as the other bills. Ibid.* 82.

Deposition by Mathew Reeve.

At a meeting of the Committee of Claims, held 19 Sep., 1656, Mathew Reeve, aged about 43, late of London, merchant, and now of Norwich, deposed on oath that whereas he has produced a bill of £130, signed by the Lord Forbes, £60 of it was his proper money. He gives other details. *P.* 1. *Signed by* Reeve. *Ibid.* 83.

This concludes the papers relating to this case.

22 Sep. CERTITICATE by the COMMITTEE for CLAIMS for LANDS in IRELAND.

Their names are Methusaleh Turner, Robert Hammon, Henry Brandrife, Nathaniel Manton, Elias Roberts, Thos. Hubbert, Esq., Francis Blomer, Esq., Col. Geo. Gill, and Lieut.-Col. John Fenton, and they are appointed by order of the Council of State of 1 June, 1653, confirmed by the Act "for speedy and effectual restitution," &c. They certify that oath has been made before them that the State still owes a debt of £200 for 90 dozen of shirts supplied in 1642 for the soldiers in Ireland. *P.* 1. *Name of creditor not given. Ibid.* 84.

Same. DRAFT of SIMILAR ORDER, without name of creditor.

This draft contains a provision which has been erased in the foregoing that the person owed for the shirts is to be paid in Irish land in the manner directed by Act of Parliament. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 85.

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About 1657. STATE of such THINGS as remain to be debated in order to the more full and perfect SETTLEMENT of the several ADVENTURERS in their POSSESSIONS.

It has been decided that a final and decisive survey must be taken, and the Lords of the Council have agreed to undertake this work.

In order that there may be no uncertainty or variation in the central point of the barony, rules should be agreed on :—

1. To dispose of such lands in any barony as are in excess of the amount returned by the adventurers at their survey. Is such quantity not to be charged promiscuously to all the adventurers in the said barony?

2. As to cases in which the differences between the Adventurers' Survey and the Official Survey shall be moderated so as not to disturb the lots of the several adventurers fallen in the several baronies: and as to the method of effecting such moderation.

3. By what methods those who draw lots in insufficient baronies are to be satisfied, and under what circumstances adventurers may go over from one province to another.

4. Whether lands to which the claim [of the State] is doubtful should be set out absolutely to adventurers, or whether there should be provision for reprisals of them if they be hereafter adjudged for the persons claiming them as against the State, and whether encumbered lands should be set out to adventurers.

5. Should not some time be fixed for putting an end to all claims in respect of any adventure? The charge which has fallen upon baronies cannot be determined so long as the casting of lots in respect of such claims is allowed to go on.

6. As great abuses have been committed by several persons, surveyors and others, under pretence of their being employed as agents, and as these people have received the rents of several baronies for two years last past without giving any account thereof, order should be issued and persons should be appointed to call them to account.

7. As there has been just cause to suspect that several abuses have been committed in laying out the lands for particular adventurers, and that the surveyors have proceeded in an arbitrary way and by no strict rules, it is submitted that there should be a general method of setting out lands to each of the adventurers, according as their lots shall succeed one another. *Other details. Pp.* 2¼. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 86.

COPY of PETITION to the PROTECTOR OLIVER of the COMMITTEE at GROCERS' HALL.

The Act for Satisfaction of Adventurers and Soldiers and of other public debts there [in Ireland] provided a means by which all who had advanced money for or found supplies for or maintained a vessel for or otherwise helped towards, the suppression of the Irish

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rebels, should bring their receipts before your petitioners, who are by the Act empowered to give certificates for them. A certificate was to be made under the seals of any five or more of petitioners, or an oath taken before the Commissioners of Parliament or Commissioners of Accounts in Ireland, that no satisfaction had been made for the same or any part thereof. This being done, the Commissioners of Accounts in Ireland were to consider these certificates, and give certificates and debentures in respect of them. The Commissioners of Parliament in Ireland, if they approved such certificates, were empowered to set out lands accordingly to those to whom the State was in debt.

Petitioners have accordingly perused and taken in the warrants and vouchers of the debts of several persons and have given certificates accordingly.

The Council in Ireland, however, on technical grounds, scruple to issue out debentures to them: and consequently petitioners are daily molested with the cry and importunity of the said poor persons who have laid out a great part of their estate, but are now frustrated of all hope of satisfaction.

It would be a great charge to them to go over to Ireland, or transmit original papers there or employ agents to appear for them. The Act does not seem to mean that persons living and having their original vouchers here should have to go over there. The petitioners have advised with counsel and find them to be of different opinions.

They represent these difficulties to his Highness and ask for his pleasure and direction therein. *Pp.* $2\frac{1}{8}$. *Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 87.

1658. 4 Aug. ORDER of the COMMITTEE of ADVENTURERS sitting at Grocers' Hall.

The Committee of Claims to be asked to attest the Book of Adventurers' allotments, as it is now to be sent to the Lord Deputy of Ireland, so far as concerns them, in such manner as they think convenient. *P.* $\frac{1}{2}$, *with fragmentary notes. Endd. Ibid.* 88.

26 Nov. ORDER of SAME.

The Committee of Claims to be desired to execute all such powers and authorities as they are invested with by the Act of Satisfaction and the Order of the Council of 1 June, 1653, or by any other Act, ordinance, or order now in force for the satisfaction of the adventurers for land in Ireland. Resolved also, that Aldermen Erasmus and Edward Smyth, Mr. Ratcliffe and Mr. Clarke, *sen.*, be desired to deliver Mr. Turner a copy of the aforesaid order, and desire him to call that Committee together as soon as possible. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Endd. Ibid.* 89.

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14 Jan. COPY of certain RESOLUTIONS passed by the COMMITTEE at Grocers' Hall.

Present:—Aldermen Lloyd and Erasmus and Edward Smith, Col. Gower, Mr. Clerke, *jun.*, Mr. Hamond, Mr. Hiccoks and Mr. Ratcliffe.

A petition to be drawn up by Fowke, Erasmus and Edward Smyth and Hamond to ask of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and the Council there the maps and lots of the instrumental survey last taken by virtue of the Commission, instructions and further instructions under the Great Seal of England at the charge of the State, and other books, &c., relating to the lands appropriated in the ten halves of counties for the adventurers, and also in the Co. Louth except Atherdee [Ardee]. These should be sent to Grocers' Hall.

The adventurers in the respective baronies should also be desired to transmit to the Committee of Claims all the maps, plots, surveys, books of reference, divisions and sub-divisions taken at the cost of the adventurers within their respective baronies, and any papers which may tend to the final satisfaction of the adventurers.

An abstract of all such lots as have been drawn and made by this Committee on behalf of the adventurers, examined and attested, should be considered a true copy so far as made by this Committee. *P.* 1. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 301, 90.

COPY of PETITION to the LORD PROTECTOR of the COMMITTEE entrusted by the ADVENTURERS for LANDS in IRELAND.

For the encouragement of the Adventurers it was ordained in June, 1654, that encumbrances found to exist on their lands should be repaired out of the co. Kildare; and that the value of these encumbrances should be estimated by persons appointed by the Protector and Council. Many such encumbrances have been found, but no persons have been appointed to estimate them.

Petitioners beg that such persons may be appointed. *P.* 1. *Endd. in hand similar to that of* Major (afterwards Sir) George Rawdon. *Ibid.* 91.

LIST of PERSONS who DREW LOTS for LANDS in co. TIPPERARY barony of CLANWILLIAM, S.W. Quarter No. 3, sub-division N.E.

They are:—Hezekiah Woodward, assigned to Samuel Blackwell, Samuel Blackwell, assignee of John Pye and the Butchers' Company; Rawleigh Clapham, John Man. Richard Deacon, for Samuel Blackwell as the assignee of John Pye and the Butchers' Co., and Joseph Ruthorne, for Clapham and Man, engage to stand to the particular lots as they fall out in the east part *No.* 1 of the sub-division above-named. *P.* ½. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 92.

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Copy of Petition of the Committee entrusted by the Adventurers for Lands in Ireland to the Parliament of the Commonwealth of England, shewing that:—

Great sums were paid in for reducing Ireland—and the Parliament has declared this to be a great and good work.

The adventurers were assured that their lands would be assigned to them indifferently and by lot, and the Act of Parliament contains words to this effect.

Nevertheless some adventurers have "extravigantly" obtained possession of the best lands without casting of lots, which, your petitioners hope, will not be allowed by Parliament.

Owing to the gross survey having returned as containing forfeited lands many baronies in which little or no land was forfeited, many of the adventurers find themselves referred to places which have not wherewith to satisfy them. They are also straitened in other places where there is not enough land for them.

They pray that, beside the lands already allotted them in the ten halves of counties, the lands whereof the fee is in the State in Louth, Kildare, Dublin and Carlow may be reserved [for them] till they are satisfied. They hope that this will be done soon. They ask that their satisfactions may be administered by lot within the baronies wherein they have fallen and that possessions otherwise taken within their security may not be confirmed. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed by* R. Deacon, Clerk attending the Committee. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 93.

[Joseph Avery] to [the Committee of Adventurers for Lands in Ireland].

Gentlemen:—

Having by the mercy of God arrived here on the 26th of September last, we have not hitherto been able to give you any satisfactory account of the things wherein you and all other adventurers are interested. We have now had granted to us an order for our possession, of which we send a copy. Since the soldiers found out that we are in earnest to have possession, they waive their former resolve to divide by exact admeasurement and sit *de die in diem* to take possession in our manner also by gross survey. They fear they may be postponed to the . . . . [advantage?] of the tenants, if they proceed by the slow way of admeasurement, by which every man may know how much it is to his interest to enter the certificates here speedily, and take his possession. If this is omitted for a season, many years will not recover the loss.

We cannot also but give you notice of what is endeavoured by some to the prejudice of many in making void the ordinances of 14 July, 1643 and 1647. It is now advised from hence that those that adventured upon the acts may be first satisfied and those that doubled upon the ordinances may come in the next place. This

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means nothing else than opening a way to the giving of no satisfaction to the ordinances of 1643 and 1647. If the ten counties prove deficient, as some fear they will, the design is, as we are informed, to let the loss fall on those who have doubled. Our fear is the more that the ten halves of counties will not satisfy the debt when we call to mind the ordinance of Munster and that of 2 Sept. last, whereby all Protestants under defection are made compoundable and that for money. This will take large amounts from us, and without any return. We therefore presume that in your addresses to Parliament you will be instant for an act of confirmation of those ordinances of July, 1643 and 1647, which the State is already engaged to do, and that other lands be assigned for our satisfaction, in case Louth shall not be reserve enough. If this is not done all Ireland will be divided among the soldiers, and how the adventurers are then to get satisfaction it is hard to see.

We wish the co. Kildare could be given as an additional security. It would be also well to state a standard figure for determining what is barren land and what is not. The barren land should be thrown in over and above. If this is not done many people will—so close is the admeasurement—get very little value over and above what they will have to pay as quit-rent. [The value of] sixpence an acre was thought a reasonable figure [as a definition of such barren land]. A definition of "woods" should also be given.

Another point on which we hear constant complaints is the giving away of *custodiums* of the best places within the ten half counties. This is unjust to those whose lots fall in those lands, and, besides, prevents building. Not many of these are granted, but those given are of the best places and of those where tenants were found when they were granted. *Other details.*

Although an ordinance has already been granted to make the excise of Ireland conformable to the rates and rules of England, yet a heavy excise is still imposed upon salt used for saving fish, contrary to the use in England, which, if not removed, will utterly destroy the fishing of Ireland.

We desire your help in all these matters.

List follows of particulars on which help is asked. [*Imperfect.*]

P.S.—We had almost forgotten another intolerable grievance. Tithes are taken upon all men's estates into the public treasury and not applied to support the ministry in many places. The Gospel cannot be supported if maintenance be not put in the right channel. *In all, pp.* 3: *imperfect. Endd.*: A letter from Mr. Jos. Avery. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 94.

Petition of the Committee for Claims for Lands in Ireland to the Protector, shewing that:—

Under the Act of 26 Sept., 1653, for satisfying adventurers', soldiers', and other public debts, the Committee have worked for three years certifying debts which were proved to them to be due. The warrants, vouchers, &c., for debts have been taken in in order so to dispose of them as your Highness shall please to direct.

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They hear from Ireland that the certificates which they have given have not been allowed there, but that those concerned have been returned here to their great detriment. This question was the subject of an address by your petitioners to the Lord Deputy and Council nearly a year ago, shewing the difficulties in which your petitioners stood.

Many poor people cry out earnestly to your petitioners for help in this matter.

They pray that either the certificates granted by them in the past and future comformably to this Act may be allowed, or that, by your Highness' authority, they may be dismissed from that service. *P.* ¾. *Signed (Hol.) by*—

Robert Hammon.	Nath. Manton.
Thos. Hubbert.	Elias Roberts.
Methuselah Turner.	John Fenton.

Endd. S.P. Ireland 301 95.

George Almery to Mr. Deacon.

Certifies that the persons hereafter named have paid their half-pennies in the £1.

Alderman Michael Herring.	Robert Kircombe.
Robert Treloney.	John Lake.
Thos. Mathew.	James Mathew.
John Treloney.	John Winspeere.
John Soame.	Grace Heathcott.

P. ¾. *The sums on which these persons pay* ½*d. in the* £1 *are given. Endd. Ibid.* 96.

Petition to the Committee at Grocers' Hall, of divers persons who have lent money in Ireland in the public faith and are now in distress, shewing that:—

Having received certificates from this Committee of several sums due to them, some of them have gone over at great expense to demand satisfaction there; but in vain, as no particular security was designed for their satisfaction.

They are in great distress and desire to petition the Protector They ask that this Committee may further their petition. *P.* ¾. *Signed by*—

Brian Harrison.	Thos. Strengthfellow.
Thomas Jevons.	Wm. Awbery.
Lewis Boulden.	Sam. Bathurst.
Robt. Hooker.	Florentin Tainturier
Wm. Wilcockes.	Robert Smyth.
Hugh Radcliff.	John Burston.
Ben. Goodwin.	Wm. Cuffe.

P. ⅔. *Endd. Ibid.* 97.

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NOTE of THREE QUESTIONS submitted to COUNSEL [by the COMMITTEE at GROCERS' HALL].

1. Are the Committee at Grocers' Hall empowered by the Act of 26 Sep., 1653, to take oath and certify for arrears of service done in England, being already stated according to Act, order or ordinance of Parliament as is mentioned on *p.* 85, 86 and 87 of the Act?

2. Are the Committee empowered by the said Act to administer an oath and to certify for the debts of any public faith, or of money, arms, victual, clothing, &c., for relief of the Parliamentary army?

3. If this Committee have the power of administering an oath and of giving certificates under the hands and seals of any five or more of them, then what should that oath be, and how should the certificate be framed? When they give the certificate, may they keep the vouchers, &c., on the strength of which it is given? *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *S.P. Ireland* 301, 98.

DRAFT of ORDER of the COMMITTEE of CLAIMS.

They have considered the order and desires of the Committee of Adventurers and are resolved to execute their power for the settlement of all the Adventurers. They desire the abstracts, neat books and papers which may show them what people are unsatisfied and what overplus there is wherewith to satisfy them.

It is ordered that Erasmus Smith, Alderman Edward Smith, Mr. Ratcliff and Mr. Clerke, *sen.* communicate the resolutions of the Committee to the Committee of Adventurers. *P.* 1. *Endd. Ibid.* 99.

"AN OPINION given to the COUNCIL of IRELAND about PUBLIC DEBTS."

In regard to the claim of Thomas Greene for £833 16*s.* 11*d.* due to himself and partners for provision of Cheshire cheese to Lord Inchiquin's army in 1644, I have to report as follows:—

I have seen a good certificate signed by Methuselah Turner, Nathaniel Manton, Francis Bloomer, Elias Roberts and John Fenton, dated 9 Nov., 1654, wherein they acknowledge that this sum is due to Wm. Harris and Thomas Browne, of London, merchants, for supply of cheese, as above. It is certified that Harris and Browne received no part of this sum.

I have also seen an indenture made between Harris and Browne on one side and Greene on the other, by which the debt is assigned to Greene.

I have also perused the Act of Satisfaction for Adventurers and Soldiers—stipulating for the repayment of those who advanced money, supplies, &c., for the support of the Parliamentary Army in Ireland, and I have seen all the stipulations of the Act of 1653 relative to this matter [*details given*].

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I am of opinion that the Act gives no power to the said Committee at Grocers' Hall to state any of the said accounts, to issue debentures for what may be due, or to take in any bills or other matters relating to these accounts. I think that there is no power in the late Commissioners or in your honours for satisfying any of the said debts upon any other certificate or debenture than what shall be given here by the Commissioners for stating accounts.

I am also of opinion that neither the said debt nor any other debt can, by the letter of the said Act, be satisfied before the arrears due to the army for the service since 1649 here, and for their service before 1649 in England, be first satisfied. When the arrears since 1642 have been satisfied, they have an equal claim to satisfaction either with arrears before 1649 or with any other whatsoever.

Nevertheless as the Committee at Grocers' Hall do daily give out certificates, and as the people who get them expect to get land upon them, and as many people depend on the giving of land to them, I think the matter should be referred to the Lord Chief Justice Pepys and the Lord Chief Baron and to Sir John Temple, Sir Robert King and the other judges and the Attorney-General, to give their opinions in it. *Pp.* 2⅙. *Endd.* *S.P. Ireland* 301, 100.

Report of Ri[chard] D[eacon] on the Adventure of Lord Massereene lately Sir John Clotworthy.

I find by referring to the books of subscriptions that John, Lord Viscount Massereene, by the name of Sir John Clotworthy, subscribed £1,000 as an adventure under the Acts.

Henry Austin paid in £600, Richard Darnelly £100, and Francis Parsons £20 all under the same.

For these sums Sir John Clotworthy, now Lord Massereene, drew several lots in the barony of Massereene. *Other details.* *P.* ½. *Signed by* Ri. ——— D ———, clerk to the Committee of Adventurers for lands in Ireland. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 101.

List of Names headed—"The Transcript of the book of subscriptions for the fourth part by doubling."

Gives names of about 200 adventurers. *Pp.* 7¼. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 102.

Further List of such Adventurers as have doubled money.

Gives names of about 100 adventurers. *Pp.* 3. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 103.

A Particular [List] of all those who did not pay in their Full Subscriptions.

Contains about 170 names of adventurers. *In all, pp.* 4¾. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 104.

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INDEX of NAMES of ADVENTURERS.

Pp. 44, *few written on.* *S.P. Ireland* 301, 105.

LIST of the NAMES and SUMS of such ADVENTURERS as are deficient and in what barony they live.

Contains about 100 names, with the sums owed and the place where the adventurers have drawn. *Pp.* 7. *Ibid.* 106.

LIST of DEBENTURES purchased of several officers and soldiers in CAPTAIN WM. LOWE'S COMPANY of COL. VENABLES' REGIMENT of FOOT.

Gives sums purchased by:—
(1) Officers:—George Evan, drummer, John Carey, sergeant in Captain Gill's and soldier in Captain Lowe's company.
(2) Private soldiers.
List follows giving the names of 26 private soldiers, with the sums purchased opposite each. *In all, p.* 1. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 107.

FURTHER LISTS of ADVENTURERS with sums attached to their names.

Pp. 1$\frac{1}{3}$, *p.* $\frac{3}{4}$, *and p.* 1. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 108.

COPY of a DEBENTURE shewing the sums due from the STATE to JAMES PARKER.

Shews the sums due to him for his service in the regiment of Col. Richard and Col. Nicholas Shuttleworth, cast-up and stated by the Commissioners for the County of Lancaster.
He is owed £95 15*s.* for 766 days, from 12 Mar., 164$\frac{2}{3}$, as private trooper under the command of Captain Edward French.
He received £12 5*s.* from the said captain and £33 8*s.* in the shape of free quarter, so that £50 2*s.* rest due to him.
They certify this sum to be due. *P.* $\frac{3}{4}$. *Signed* (*not Hol.*) *by* Richard Shuttleworth, John Starkie and Robert Cunliffe, *and examined and entered by* Thos. Whalley. *Endd.* *Ibid.* 109.

FURTHER LIST of ADVENTURERS and of sums subscribed by them.

Gives names with mention of sums and localities. The persons mentioned are:—

John Hewson.	Gregory Clement.
Daniel Axtell.	Sir Hardress Waller.

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John Jones.	Miles Corbett.
Edmund Ludlow.	Henry Smith.
Thos. Woogan.	Wm. Heveningham.
Henry Ireton.	John Jones.
Edward Dendy.	John Alured.
John Lisle.	Gilbert Millington.

P. ¾. *Imperfect. Endd. S.P. Ireland* 301, 110.

List showing the Profitable Land and Bog or Pasture held by the following:—

By Mr. Methwold in Russelstown, Cartrogany [Cartronganny, co. Westmeath], "Baleenecloonagh," Villanstown [Vilanstown, co. Westmeath], Cartrenstown [Carttrenston, co. Westmeath*], Burnellstowne and Corbelly [Corbally].

By Joseph Ofield and Thomas Smith in "Glainebayne," [Glaneden*] and Corbelly [Corbally].

By Babington in Corbelly [Corbally] and Redmanstown [Redmondstown, co. Westmeath].

By Venner in "Iniscoffy" [Enniscoffey], Commonstown, Rathcan [Rathcam, co. Westmeath?] and Bronestown [Brownstown].

By Methwold in Miltowne, Cartloone [Miltown, Cartron*], Ballemullen Heath [Ballymullen Heathston, co. Westmeath], Galstown [Gaulstown] and "Gortymollo."

By the same in Pass Kibride [Pass of Kilbride] and Miltowne.

By Brenly in "Gorty milly" [Gortunnill*], Farthingstown, "Kelstane" [Gilston] and Castlelast [Castlelost].

By Official in Cillinistown [Killintown] and Castlelast [Castlelost]. *P.* 1. *Ibid.* 111.

Note on the Land held by Mr. Methwold in the Barony of Fartulla.

P. ¼. *Ibid.* 112.

Note of a case between John the administrator of Elizabeth Sparks, plaintiff, and James Seaborne, defendant. *A fragment. P.* ½. *Endd. Ibid.* 113.

* I have been greatly assisted in the above identifications by Mr. W. H. Grattan Flood, M.R.I.A.

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7. JOHANNIS CAPGRAVE LIBER DE ILLUSTRIBUS HENRICIS. *Edited by* the Rev. F. C. HINGESTON, M.A. 1858.

The first part relates only to the history of the Empire from the election of Henry I. the Fowler, to the end of the reign of the Emperor Henry VI. The second part is devoted to English history, from the accession of Henry I. in 1100, to 1446, which was the twenty-fourth year of the reign of Henry VI. The third part contains the lives of illustrious men who have borne the name of Henry in various parts of the world.

8. HISTORIA MONASTERII S. AUGUSTINI CANTUARIENSIS by THOMAS OF ELMHAM, formerly Monk and Treasurer of that Foundation. *Edited by* CHARLES HARDWICK, M.A., Fellow of St. Catherine's Hall, and Christian Advocate in the University of Cambridge. 1858.

This history extends from the arrival of St. Augustine in Kent until 1191.

9. EULOGIUM (HISTORIARIUM SIVE TEMPORIS): Chronicon ab Orbe condito usque ad Annum Domini 1366; a monacho quodam Malmesbiriensi exaratum. Vols. I.-III. *Edited by* F. S. HAYDON, B.A. 1858-1863.

This is a Latin Chronicle extending from the Creation to the latter part of the reign of Edward III., with a continuation to the year 1413.

10. MEMORIALS OF HENRY THE SEVENTH; Bernardi Andreæ Tholosatis Vita Regis Henrici Septimi; necnon alia quædam ad eundem Regem Spectantia. *Edited by* JAMES GAIRDNER. 1858.

The contents of this volume are—(1) a life of Henry VII., by his poet Laureate and historiographer, Bernard André, of Toulouse, with some compositions in verse, of which he is supposed to have been the author; (2) the journals of Roger Machado during certain embassies to Spain and Brittany, the first of which had reference to the marriage of the King's son, Arthur, with Catharine of Arragon; (3) two curious reports by envoys sent to Spain in 1505 touching the succession to the Crown of Castile, and a project of marriage between Henry VII. and the Queen of Naples; and (4) an account of Philip of Castile's reception in England in 1506. Other documents of interest are given in an appendix.

11. MEMORIALS OF HENRY THE FIFTH. I.—Vita Henrici Quinti, Roberto Redmanno auctore. II.—Versus Rhythmici in laudem Regis Henrici Quinti. III.—Elmhami Liber Metricus de Henrico V. *Edited by* CHARLES A. COLE. 1858.

12. MUNIMENTÆ GILDHALLÆ LONDONIENSIS; Liber Albus, Liber Custumarum, et Liber Horn, in archivis Gildhallæ asservati.

Vol. I., Liber Albus.

Vol. II. (in Two Parts), Liber Custumarum.

Vol. III., Translation of the Anglo-Norman Passages in Liber Albus, Glossaries, Appendices, and Index.

Edited by HENRY THOMAS RILEY, M.A., Barrister-at-Law. 1859-1862.

The *Liber Albus*, compiled by John Carpenter, Common Clerk of the City of London in the year 1419, gives an account of the laws, regulations, and institutions of that City in the 12th, 13th, 14th, and early part of the 15th centuries. The *Liber Custumarum* was compiled in the early part of the 14th century during the reign of Edward II. It also gives an account of the laws, regulations, and institutions of the City of London in the 12th, 13th, and early part of the 14th centuries.

13. CHRONICA JOHANNIS DE OXENEDES. *Edited by* SIR HENRY ELLIS, K.H. 1859.

Although this Chronicle tells of the arrival of Hengist and Horsa, it substantially begins with the reign of King Alfred, and comes down to 1292. It is particularly valuable for notices of events in the eastern portions of the kingdom.

14. A COLLECTION OF POLITICAL POEMS AND SONGS RELATING TO ENGLISH HISTORY, FROM THE ACCESSION OF EDWARD III. TO THE REIGN OF HENRY VIII. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* THOMAS WRIGHT, M.A. 1859-1861.

15. The "OPUS TERTIUM," "OPUS MINUS," &c. of ROGER BACON. *Edited by* J. S. BREWER, M.A., Professor of English Literature, King's College, London. 1859.

16. BARTHOLOMÆI DE COTTON, MONACHI NORWICENSIS, HISTORIA ANGLICANA; 449-1298; necnon ejusdem Liber de Archiepiscopis et Episcopis Angliæ. *Edited by* HENRY RICHARDS LUARD, M.A., Fellow and Assistant Tutor of Trinty College, Cambridge, 1859.

17. BRUT Y TYWYSOGION; or, The Chronicle of the Princes of Wales. *Edited by* the Rev. JOHN WILLIAMS AB ITHEL, M.A. 1860.

This work, written in the ancient Welsh language, begins with the abdication and death of Caedwala at Rome, in the year 681, and continues the history down to the subjugation of Wales by Edward I., about the year 1282.

18. A Collection of Royal and Historical Letters during the Reign of Henry IV. 1399-1404. *Edited by* the Rev. F. C. Hingeston, M.A., of Exeter College, Oxford. 1860.

19. The Repressor of over much Blaming of the Clergy. By Reginald Pecock, sometime Bishop of Chichester. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* the Rev. Churchill Babington, B.D., Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge. 1860.

The author was born about the end of the fourteenth century, consecrated Bishop of St. Asaph in the year 1444, and translated to the see of Chichester in 1450. His work gives a full account of the views of the Lollards, and has great value for the philologist.

20. Annales Cambriæ. *Edited by* the Rev. John Williams ab Ithel, M.A. 1860.

These annals, which are in Latin, commence in 447, and come down to 1288. The earlier portion appears to be taken from an Irish Chronicle used by Tigernach, and by the compiler of the Annals of Ulster.

21. The Works of Giraldus Cambrensis. Vols. I.-IV. *Edited by* the Rev. J. S. Brewer, M.A., Professor of English Literature, King's College, London. Vols. V.-VII. *Edited by* the Rev. James F. Dimock, M.A., Rector of Barnburgh, Yorkshire. Vol. VIII. *Edited by* George F. Warner, M.A., of the Department of MSS., British Museum. 1861-1891.

These volumes contain the historical works of Gerald du Barry, who lived in the reigns of Henry II., Richard I., and John.

The *Topographia Hibernica* (in Vol. V.) is the result of Giraldus' two visits to Ireland, the first in 1183, the second in 1185-6, when he accompanied Prince John into that country. The *Expugnatio Hibernica* was written about 1188. Vol. VI. contains the *Itinerarium Kambriæ et Descriptio Kambriæ;* and Vol. VII., the lives of S. Remigius and S. Hugh. Vol. VIII. contains the Treatise *De Principum Instructione*, and an index to Vols. I.-IV. and VIII.

22. Letters and Papers illustrative of the Wars of the English in France during the Reign of Henry the Sixth, King of England, Vol. I., and Vol. II. (in Two Parts). *Edited by* the Rev. Joseph Stevenson, M.A., Vicar of Leighton Buzzard. 1861-1864.

23. The Anglo-Saxon Chronicle, according to the several Original Authorities. Vol. I., Original Texts. Vol. II., Translation. *Edited and translated by* Benjamin Thorpe, Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences at Munich, and of the Society of Netherlandish Literature at Leyden. 1861.

There are at present six independent manuscripts of the Saxon Chronicle, ending in different years, and written in different parts of the country. In this edition, the text of each manuscript is printed in columns on the same page, so that the student may see at a glance the various changes which occur in orthography.

24. Letters and Papers illustrative of the reigns of Richard III. and Henry VII. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* James Gardiner, 1861-1863.

The principal contents of the volumes are some diplomatic Papers of Richard III., correspondence between Henry VII. and Ferdinand and Isabella of Spain; documents relating to Edmund de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk; and a portion of the correspondence of James IV. of Scotland.

25. Letters of Bishop Grosseteste. *Edited by* the Rev. Henry Richards Luard, M.A., Fellow and Assistant Tutor of Trinity College, Cambridge. 1861.

The letters of Robert Grosseteste range in date from about 1210 to 1253. They refer especially to the diocese of Lincoln, of which Grosseteste was bishop.

26. Descriptive Catalogue of Manuscripts relating to the History of Great Britain and Ireland. Vol. I. (in Two Parts); Anterior to the Norman Invasion. *(Out of print.)* Vol. II.; 1066-1200. Vol. III.; 1200-1327. *By* Sir Thomas Duffus Hardy, D.C.L., Deputy Keeper of the Records. 1862-1871.

27. Royal and other Historical Letters illustrative of the reign of Henry III. Vol. I. 1216-1235. Vol. II. 1236-1272. *Selected and edited by* the Rev. W. W. Shirley, D.D., Regius Professor of Ecclesiastical History, and Canon of Christ Church, Oxford. 1862-1866.

28. CHRONICA MONASTERII S. ALBANI:—

1. THOMÆ WALSINGHAM HISTORIA ANGLICANA; Vol. I., 1272-1381 Vol. II., 1381-1422.

2. WILLELMI RISHANGER CHRONICA ET ANNALES, 1259-1307.

3. JOHANNIS DE TROKELOWE ET HENRICI DE BLANEFORDE CHRONICA ET ANNALES 1259-1296; 1307-1324; 1392-1406.

4. GESTA ABBATUM MONASTERII S. ALBANI, A THOMA WALSINGHAM, REGNANTE RICARDO SECUNDO, EJUSDEM ECCLESIÆ PRÆCENTORE, COMPILATA; Vol. I., 793-1290: Vol. II., 1290-1349: Vol. III., 1349-1411.

5. JOHANNIS AMUNDESHAM, MONACHI MONASTERII S. ALBANI, UT VIDETUR, ANNALES; Vols. I. and II.

6. REGISTRA QUORUNDAM ABBATUM MONASTERII S. ALBANI, QUI SÆCULO XV^mo FLORUERE; Vol. I., REGISTRUM ABBATIÆ JOHANNIS WHETHAMSTEDE, ABBATIS MONASTERII SANCTI ALBANI, ITERUM SUSCEPTÆ; ROBERTO BLAKENEY, CAPELLANO, QUONDAM ADSCRIPTUM: Vol. II., REGISTRA JOHANNIS WHETHAMSTEDE, WILLELMI ALBON, ET WILLELMI WALINGFORDE, ABBATUM MONASTERII SANCTI ALBANI, CUM APPENDICE CONTINENTE QUASDAM EPISTOLAS A JOHANNE WHETHAMSTEDE CONSCRIPTAS.

7. YPODIGMA NEUSTRIÆ A THOMA WALSINGHAM, QUONDAM MONACHO MONASTERII S. ALBANI, CONSCRIPTUM.

Edited by HENRY THOMAS RILEY, M.A., Barrister-at-Law. 1863-1876.

In the first two volumes is a History of England, from the death of Henry III. to the death of Henry V., by Thomas Walsingham, Precentor of St. Albans.

In the 3rd volume is a Chronicle of English History, attributed to William Rishanger, who lived in the reign of Edward I.: an account of transactions attending the award of the kingdom of Scotland to John Balliol, 1291-1292, also attributed to William Rishanger, but on no sufficient ground: a short Chronicle of English History, 1292 to 1300, by an unknown hand: a short Chronicle, Willelmi Rishanger Gesta Edwardi Primi, Regis Angliæ, probably by the same hand: and fragments of three Chronicles of English History, 1285 to 1307.

In the 4th volume is a Chronicle of English History, 1259 to 1296: Annals of Edward II., 1307 to 1323, by John de Trokelowe, a monk of St. Albans, and a continuation of Trokelowe's Annals, 1323, 1324, by Henry de Blaneforde: a full Chronicle of English History, 1392 to 1406. and an account of the benefactors of St. Albans, written in the early part of the 15th century,

The 5th, 6th, and 7th volumes contain a history of the Abbots of St. Albans, 793 to 1411, mainly compiled by Thomas Walsingham, with a Continuation.

The 8th and 9th volumes, in continuation of the Annals, contain a Chronicle probably of John Amundesham, a monk of St. Albans.

The 10th and 11th volumes relate especially to the acts and proceedings of Abbots Whethamstede, Albon, and Wallingford.

The 12th volume contains a compendious History of England to the reign of Henry V. and of Normandy in early times, also by Thomas Walsingham, and dedicated to Henry V.

29. CHRONICON ABBATIÆ EVESHAMENSIS, AUCTORIBUS DOMINICO PRIORE EVESHAMIÆ ET THOMA DE MARLEBERGE ABBATE, A FUNDATIONE AD ANNUM 1213, UNA CUM CONTINUATIONE AD ANNUM 1418. *Edited by* the Rev. W. D. MACRAY, Bodleian Library, Oxford. 1863.

The Chronicle of Evesham illustrates the history of that important monastery from 690 to 1418. Its chief feature is an autobiography, which makes us acquainted with the inner daily life of a great abbey. Interspersed are many notices of general, personal, and local history.

30. RICARDI DE CIRENCESTRIA SPECULUM HISTORIALE DE GESTIS REGUM ANGLIÆ. Vol. I., 447-871. Vol. II., 872-1066. *Edited by* JOHN E. B. MAYOR, M.A., Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge. 1863-1869.

Richard of Cirencester's history is in four books, and gives many charters in favour of Westminster Abbey, and a very full account of the lives and miracles of the saints, especially of Edward the Confessor, whose reign occupies the fourth book. A treatise on the Coronation, by William of Sudbury, a monk of Westminster, fills book ii. c. 3.

31. YEAR BOOKS OF THE REIGNS OF EDWARD THE FIRST AND EDWARD THE THIRD. Years 20-21, 21-22, 30-31, 32-33, and 33-35 Edw. I; and 11-12 Edw. III. *Edited and translated by* ALFRED JOHN HORWOOD, Barrister-at-Law. Years 12-13, 13-14, 14, 14-15, 15, 16, 17, and 17-18, Edward III. *Edited and translated by* LUKE OWEN PIKE, M.A., Barrister-at-Law. 1863-1903.

32. Narratives of the Expulsion of the English from Normandy, 1449-1450.—Robertus Blondelli de Reductione Normanniæ: Le Recouvrement de Normendie, par Berry, Hérault du Roy: Conferences between the Ambassadors of France and England. *Edited by* the Rev. Joseph Stevenson, M.A. 1863.

33. Historia et Cartularium Monasterii S. Petri Gloucestriæ. Vols. I.-III. *Edited by* W. H. Hart, F.S.A., Membre Correspondant de la Société des Antiquaires de Normandie. 1863-1867.

34. Alexandri Neckam de Naturis Rerum libri duo; with Neckam's Poem, De Laudibus Divinæ Sapientiæ. *Edited by* Thomas Wright, M.A. 1863.

35. Leechdoms, Wortcunning, and Starcraft of Early England; being a Collection of Documents illustrating the History of Science in this Country before the Norman Conquest. Vols. I.-III. *Collected and edited by* the Rev. T. Oswald Cockayne, M.A. 1864-1866.

36. Annales Monastici.

Vol. I.:—Annales de Margan, 1066-1232; Annales de Theokesberia, 1066-1263; Annales de Burton, 1004-1263.

Vol. II.:—Annales Monasterii de Wintonia, 519-1277; Annales Monasterii de Waverleia, 1-1291.

Vol. III.:—Annales Prioratus de Dunstaplia, 1-1297. Annales Monasterii de Bermundeseia, 1042-1432.

Vol. IV.:—Annales Monasterii de Oseneia, 1016-1347; Chronicon vulgo dictum Chronicon Thomæ Wykes, 1066-1289; Annales Prioratus de Wigornia, 1-1377.

Vol. V.:—Index and Glossary.

Edited by Henry Richards Luards, M.A., Fellow and Assistant Tutor of Trinity College, and Registrary of the University, Cambridge. 1864-1869.

37. Magna Vita S. Hugonis Episcopi Lincolniensis. *Edited by* the Rev. James F. Dimock, M.A., Rector of Barnburgh, Yorkshire. 1864.

38. Chronicles and Memorials of the Reign of Richard the First.

Vol. I.:—Itinerarium Peregrinorum et Gesta Regis Ricardi.

Vol. II.:—Epistolæ Cantuarienses; the Letters of the Prior and Convent of Christ Church, Canterbury; 1187 to 1199.

Edited by the Rev. William Stubbs, M.A., Vicar of Navestock, Essex, and Lambeth Librarian. 1864-1865.

The authorship of the Chronicle in Vol. I., hitherto ascribed to Geoffrey Vinesauf, is now more correctly ascribed to Richard, Canon of the Holy Trinity of London.

The letters in Vol. II., written between 1187 and 1199, had their origin in a dispute which arose from the attempts of Baldwin and Hubert, archbishops of Canterbury, to found a college of secular canons, a project which gave great umbrage to the monks of Canterbury.

39. Recueil des Croniques et anchiennes Istories de la Grant Bretaigne a present nomme Engleterre, par Jehan de Waurin. Vol. I., Albina to 688. Vol. II., 1399-1422. Vol. III., 1422-1431. *Edited by* William Hardy, F.S.A. 1864-1879. Vol. IV., 1431-1447. Vol. V., 1447-1471. *Edited by* Sir William Hardy, F.S.A., and Edward L. C. P. Hardy, F.S.A. 1884-1891.

40. A Collection of the Chronicles and Ancient Histories of Great Britain, now called England, by John de Waurin. Vol. I., Albina to 688. Vol. II., 1399-1422. Vol. III., 1422-1431. (Translations of the preceding Vols. I., II., and III.) *Edited and translated by* Sir William Hardy, F.S.A., and Edward L. C. P. Hardy, F.S.A. 1864-1891.

41. Polychronicon Ranulphi Higden, with Trevisa's Translation. Vols. I and II. *Edited by* Churchill Babington, B.D., Senior Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge. Vols. III.-IX. *Edited by* the Rev. Joseph Rawson Lumby, D.D., Norrisian Professor of Divinity, Vicar of St. Edward's, Fellow of St. Catharine's College, and late Fellow of Magdalene College, Cambridge. 1865-1886.

This chronicle begins with the Creation, and is brought down to the reign of Edward III. The two English translations, which are printed with the original Latin, afford interesting illustrations of the gradual change of our language, for one was made in the fourteenth century, the other in the fifteenth.

42. Le Livere de Reis de Brittanie e Le Livere de Reis de Engletere. *Edited by* the Rev. John Glover, M.A., Vicar of Brading, Isle of Wight, formerly Librarian of Trinity College, Cambridge. 1865.

These two treaties are valuable as careful abstracts of previous historians.

43. Chronica Monasterii de Melsa ab anno 1150 usque ad annum 1406, Vols. I.-III. *Edited by* Edward Augustus Bond, Assistant Keeper of Manuscripts, and Egerton Librarian, British Museum. 1866-1868.

44. Matthæi Parisiensis Historia Anglorum, sive ut vulgo dicitur Historia Minor. Vols. I.,-III. 1067-1253. *Edited by* Sir Frederick Madden, K.H., Keeper of the Manuscript Department of the British Museum. 1866-1869.

45. Liber Monasterii de Hyda: a Chronicle and Chartulary of Hyde Abbey, Winchester, 455-1023. *Edited by* Edward Edwards. 1866.

The "Book of Hyde" is a compilation from much earlier sources, which are usually indicated with considerable care and precision. In many cases, however, the Hyde Chronicler appears to correct, to qualify, or to amplify the statements which, in substance, he adopts.

There is to be found, in the "Book of Hyde," much information relating to the reign of King Alfred which is not known to exist elsewhere. The volume contains some curious specimens of Anglo-Saxon and mediæval English.

46. Chronicon Scotorum. A Chronicle of Irish Affairs, from the earliest times to 1135; and Supplement, containing the events from 1141 to 1150. *Edited, with Translation, by* William Maunsell Hennessy, M.R.I.A. 1866.

47. The Chronicle of Pierre de Langtoft, in French Verse, from the earliest period to the death of Edward I. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* Thomas Wright, M.A. 1866-1868.

It is probable that Pierre de Langtoft was a canon of Bridlington, in Yorkshire and lived in the reign of Edward I., and during a portion of the reign of Edward II. This chronicle is divided into three parts; in the first, is an abridgment of Geoffrey of Monmouth's "Historia Britonum"; in the second, a history of the Anglo-Saxon and Norman kings, to the death of Henry III.; in the third, a history of the reign of Edward I. The language is a specimen of the French of Yorkshire.

48. The War of the Gaedhil with the Gaill, or The Invasions of Ireland by the Danes and other Norsemen. *Edited, with a Translation, by* the Rev. James Henthorn Todd, D.D., Senior Fellow of Trinity College, and Regius Professor of Hebrew in the University of Dublin. 1867.

49. Gesta Regis Henrici Secundi Benedicti Abbatis. Chronicle of the Reigns of Henry II. and Richard I., 1169-1192, known under the name of Benedict of Peterborough. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* the Rev. William Stubbs, M.A., Regius Professor of Modern History, Oxford, and Lambeth Librarian. 1867.

50. Munimenta Academica, or, Documents illustrative of Academical Life and Studies at Oxford (in Two Parts). *Edited by* the Rev. Henry Anstey, M.A., Vicar of St. Wendron, Cornwall, and late Vice-Principal of St. Mary Hall, Oxford. 1868.

51. Chronica Magistri Rogeri de Houedene. Vols. I.-IV. *Edited by* the Rev. William Stubbs, M.A., Regius Professor of Modern History and Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford. 1868-1871.

The earlier portion, extending from 732 to 1148, appears to be a copy of a compilation made in Northumbria about 1161, to which Hoveden added little. From 1148 to 1169—a very valuable portion of this work—the matter is derived from another source, to which Hoveden appears to have supplied little. From 1170 to 1192 is the portion which corresponds to some extent with the Chronicle known under the name of Benedict of Peterborough (*see* No. 49). From 1192 to 1201 may be said to be wholly Hoveden's work.

52. Willelmi Malmesbiriensis Monachi De Gestis Pontificum Anglorum Libri Quinque. *Edited by* N. E. S. A. Hamilton, of the Department of Manuscripts, British Museum. 1870.

53. Historic and Municipal Documents of Ireland, from the Archives of the City of Dublin, &c. 1172-1320. *Edited by* John T. Gilbert, F.S.A., Secretary of the Public Record Office of Ireland. 1870.

54. The Annals of Loch Cé. A Chronicle of Irish Affairs, from 1041 to 1590. Vols. I. and II. *Edited, with a Translation, by* William Maunsell Hennessy, M.R.I.A. 1871.

55. Monumenta Juridica. The Black Book of the Admiralty, with Appendices, Vols. I.-IV. *Edited by* Sir Travers Twiss, Q.C., D.C.L. 1871-1876.

This book contains the ancient ordinances and laws relating to the navy.

56. Memorials of the Reign of Henry VI.:—Official Correspondence of Thomas Bekynton, Secretary to Henry VI., and Bishop of Bath and Wells. *Edited by* the Rev. George Williams, B.D., Vicar of Ringwood, late Fellow of King's College, Cambridge. Vols. I. and II. 1872.

57. Matthæi Parisiensis, Monachi Sancti Albani, Chronica Majora. Vol. I. The Creation to A.D. 1066. Vol. II. 1067 to 1216. Vol. III. 1216 to 1239. Vol. IV. 1240 to 1247. Vol. V. 1248 to 1259. Vol. VI. Additamenta. Vol. VII. Index. *Edited by* the Rev. Henry Richards Luard, D.D., Fellow of Trinity College, Registrary of the University, and Vicar of Great St. Mary's, Cambridge. 1872-1884.

58. Memoriale Fratris Walteri de Coventria.—The Historical Collections of Walter of Coventry. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* the Rev. William Stubbs, M.A., Regius Professor of Modern History, and Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford. 1872-1873.

59. The Anglo-Latin Satirical Poets and Epigrammatists of the Twelfth Century. Vols. I. and II. *Collected and edited by* Thomas Wright, M.A., Corresponding Member of the National Institute of France (Académie des Inscriptions et Belles-Lettres). 1872.

60. Materials for a History of the Reign of Henry VII., from original Documents preserved in the Public Record Office. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* the Rev. William Campbell, M.A., one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools. 1873-1877.

61. Historical Papers and Letters from the Northern Registers. *Edited by* the Rev. James Raine, M.A., Canon of York, and Secretary of the Surtees Society. 1873.

62. Registrum Palatinum Dunelmense. The Register of Richard de Kellawe, Lord Palatine and Bishop of Durham; 1311-1316. Vols. I.-IV. *Edited by* Sir Thomas Duffus Hardy, D.C.L., Deputy Keeper of the Records. 1873-1878.

63. Memorials of St. Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury. *Edited by* the Rev. William Stubbs, M.A., Regius Professor of Modern History and Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford. 1874.

64. CHRONICON ANGLIÆ, AB ANNO DOMINI 1328 USQUE AD ANNUM 1388, AUCTORE MONACHO QUODAM SANCTI ALBANI. *Edited by* EDWARD MAUNDE THOMPSON, Barrister-at-Law, Assistant Keeper of the Manuscripts in the British Museum. 1874.

65. THÓMAS SAGA ERKIBYSKUPS. A LIFE OF ARCHBISHOP THOMAS BECKET IN ICELANDIC. Vols. I. and II., *Edited, with English Translation, Notes, and Glossary, by* M. EIRIKR MAGNUSSON, M.A., Sub-Librarian, of the University Library, Cambridge. 1875-1884.

66. RADULPHI DE COGGESHALL CHRONICON ANGLICANUM. *Edited by* the Rev. JOSEPH STEVENSON, M.A. 1875.

67. MATERIALS FOR THE HISTORY OF THOMAS BECKET, ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY. Vols. I.-VI. *Edited by* the Rev. JAMES CRAIGIE ROBERTSON, M.A., Canon of Canterbury. 1875-1883. Vol. VII. *Edited by* JOSEPH BRIGSTOCKE SHEPPARD, LL.D. 1885.

The first volume contains the life of that celebrated man, and the miracles after his death, by William, a monk of Canterbury. The second, the life by Benedict of Peterborough; John of Salisbury; Alan of Tewkesbury; and Edward Grim. The third, the life by William Fitzstephen; and Herbert of Bosham. The fourth, anonymous lives, Quadrilogus, &c. The fifth, sixth, and seventh, the Epistles, and known letters.

68. RADULFI DE DICETO, DECANI LUNDONIENSIS, OPERA HISTORICA. THE HISTORICAL WORKS OF MASTER RALPH DE DICETO, DEAN OF LONDON. Vols. I. and II. *Edited by* the Rev. WILLIAM STUBBS, M.A., Regius Professor of Modern History, and Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford. 1876.

The Abbreviationes Chronicorum extend to 1147 and the Ymagines Historiarum to 1201.

69. ROLL OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE KING'S COUNCIL IN IRELAND, FOR A PORTION OF THE 16TH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF RICHARD II. 1392-93. *Edited by* the Rev. JAMES GRAVES, B.A. 1877.

70. HENRICI DE BRACTON DE LEGIBUS ET CONSUETUDINIBUS ANGLIÆ LIBRI QUINQUE IN VARIOS TRACTATUS DISTINCTI. Vols. I.-VI. *Edited by* SIR TRAVERS TWISS, Q.C., D.C.L. 1878-1883.

71. THE HISTORIANS OF THE CHURCH OF YORK, AND ITS ARCHBISHOPS. Vols. I.-III. *Edited by* the REV. JAMES RAINE, M.A., Canon of York, and Secretary of the Surtees Society. 1879-1894.

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